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REBEL AEROPLANE SINKS SUBMARINE

CRUISER HIT FROM SHORE

Insurgent Craft May Fail to Make Port BOTH SIDES LAY CLAIM TO VICTORIES

Paris, Aug. 20.

A report from Cadiz states an insurgent aeroplane sank a Government submarine off Cadiz yesterday.—*Reuter Bulletin Service.*

ON ROAD TO BADAJOZ

Madrid, Aug. 20.

The way to Badajoz has been opened by a Government victory at Estramadura, according to official claims. The loyalists are said to have captured Alia, in the Guadalupe mountains, in an attempt to drive the rebels from Badajoz.

The position in Madrid is also much improved, it is stated by the War Ministry, and the Minister declared after a Cabinet meeting: "The enemy has been prevented from crossing the Guadarramas. To-day marks the beginning of the end for them."

"The Government," he added, "routed an insurgent column in the district of Navalperal and the area is cleared of them."

WARSHIP SINKING

The Almirante Cervera, the only rebel warship with anti-aircraft guns, is stated to be sinking and unable to reach Ferrol for repairs. She was last seen slowly steaming towards Gijon, with a heavy list.—*Reuter.*

Irun Bombarded

Two rebel planes flew over Irun to-day without doing any damage when they dropped four bombs near the hospital. The attack is said to have followed rebel warnings to evacuate the hospitals since the bombardment would be renewed.

Anti-aircraft guns in vain strove to down the bombers. Earlier, Fort San Marcos shelled the battleship Espana, and struck one funnel. The extent of the damage to the ship is unknown, but she headed for Ferrol without replying to the fort's fire.—*United Press.*

Rebels Undismayed

An official rebel communique says the Government forces are renewing the attack in the Guadarramas. Their aerial bombardment inflicted no material damage. The rebels counter-attacked successfully. "Our march on San Sebastian continues," said the communique. "Our forces are also advancing and combating the enemy in the Guadarramas and Malaga sectors"—*United Press.*

Severe Fighting

Loyalist volunteer militia is reported to have scaled the hills beyond Irun last night and to have captured the heights of Antio, killing thirty Carlist monarchists and capturing eight. It is understood the rebels captured a loyalist field battery only 100 yards from the San Sebastian boundary and that they are at present encamped on the outskirts of the city.—*United Press.*

General Situation

Madrid, Aug. 20. It is semi-officially stated that the loyalists repulsed a new rebel attack in Navalperal area and are at present retreating the insurgent offensive on three fronts, in the west, south-west and north. The loyalist commander in Navalperal has telephoned Madrid asking for 1,600 reinforcements. It is reported that rebel western and south-western columns, including native troops in addition to Spanish Foreign Legionaries, are pushing forward, but loyalists are said to have repulsed a force of Moorish irregulars and Fascists.—*United Press.*

ZINOVIEFF EXPOSES PLOTTERS

FREELY ADMITS OWN SHARE OF CRIME

"STALIN MUST BE DESTROYED"

Moscow, Aug. 20.

"I plead guilty before the working class of the world because I know every word pronounced is universally broadcast," declared M. Grigori Zinovieff, speaking before the courtroom microphone when answering the charge that he, with others, had plotted against the life of Dictator Stalin and other leaders of Russia.

For two hours, Zinovieff, a shadow of his former self, described the plot to kill Stalin without an effort to defend himself. He confirmed all the prosecution's allegations and explained the chances of a coup seemed best in 1932 because of the unfavourable economic conditions.

The possibility of seizing power resulted in the formation of the bloc of Trotsky, Zinovieff and Bukharin factions.

The entire Soviet press continues a violent agitation against the defendants and demands the death sentence for all.

KAMENEFF TESTIFIES

At the resumption of the trial to-day, Kameneff testified that Trotsky, Zinovieff and himself were the organisers of the terroristic plot. They were angry with the party leadership and craved power from which they were excluded by the progress of historical events.

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General Francisco Franco, commanding the southern rebels in Spain, is pushing columns towards key points and is confident of success.

TWO KINGS MEET AT CORFU

EDWARD TO STAY A FEW DAYS WITH GEORGE OF GREECE

Corfu, Aug. 21.

King Edward VIII in the course of his holiday cruise reached this port yesterday afternoon and an immense crowd thronged the quayside when the yacht, Nahlin, steamed into the harbour, accompanied by two British destroyers which are escorting His Majesty during his voyage.

A salute of twenty-one guns thundered and King George of Greece boarded the Nahlin and remained with King Edward to dine.

King Edward lands to-day and lunches with King George at the Villa Mibelli and is expected to remain at Corfu for a few days.—*Reuter.*

SAILS FOR GREECE

London, Aug. 20.

King Edward VIII's cruise along the Yugo-Slavin coast ended when His Majesty sailed for the Greek islands, where he will spend the remainder of his holidays.

The King is calling at Corfu, where he is expected to meet King George of Greece, who is also holidaying in the town.

Although the King is travelling incognito, the populace at Corfu is preparing a semi-official welcome, and it is understood that national dances in national dress, as well as other entertainments, have been arranged for the visit.—*Reuter Special.*

Beloved Jester Laid To Rest OPERA MELODIES AT FUNERAL

London, Aug. 20.

A jester's sticks lay on a black velvet cushion beside the coffin when lovers of Gilbert and Sullivan operas said good-bye to the late Sir Henry Lytton as his remains were cremated at Golders Green.

They were the two jolly sticks which Sir Henry held right after night in the character of Jack Point in "Yeomen of the Guard."

Three melodies were played from operas with which Sir Henry's name was so closely linked—"Hill, Poetry from 'The Pirates of Penzance,' Johnnie's song to the Chancellor, and "I Hear Soft No." from "Patience."—*Reuter Special.*

OFFICERS ABROAD

Leavenworth, Aug. 20.

Lieut.-Col. Ming Ching-woon and Major Lee Yuan-kai of the Chinese General Staff, have enrolled at the General Staff School here.—*United Press.*

GERMANS THREATEN MADRID

WILL MEET FORCE WITH FORCE

GREAT BRITAIN SHOWS CONCERN

Berlin, Aug. 20.

Rear-Admiral Carls, commander of German warships in Spanish waters, has sent a threatening message to the Spanish naval command, saying Germany would "answer force with force," in the event of a repetition of the Kamerun incident. The Kamerun was stopped by gunfire from Spanish warships yesterday and searched by Spanish seamen.

"I am not disposed to tolerate such an act of force," declared Rear-Admiral Carls.

Meanwhile, Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung, in a typical editorial, asserts: "Germany will adhere to a policy of non-interference, but incidents like this, and Moscow's interference, are apt to make the efforts of European illusory and create a serious situation. The Government is unable to endure such arbitrary action."—*United Press.*

ANOTHER CONDITION

Berlin, Aug. 20.

Another preliminary condition has arisen for Germany's participation in the general Spanish neutrality plan, according to a Government spokesman. He indicated that though negotiations had not been broken off, Germany would require a satisfactory answer from the Spanish Government concerning the Kamerun incident, which must be satisfactorily settled.

Meanwhile, the pocket battleship Admiral Graf Spee, the cruisers Leipzig and Nürnberg, and a number of torpedo-boats, commanded by Admiral Bohm, have left Kiel to relieve the other German warships in Spanish waters.

Official circles declare this movement was decided on some time ago. Admiral Reuter has flown to Berchtesgaden to confer with Herr Adolf Hitler.—*Reuter.*

BRITISH CONCERN

London, Aug. 20.

Britain takes a serious view of the possibility of failure of the Spanish non-intervention negotiations, endangered by the Berlin protest over the Kamerun incident.—*United Press.*

SPANISH BLOCKADE

London, Aug. 20.

Great Britain has asked the Spanish Government for a clearer explanation of the intended blockade. The Spanish Government some time ago issued a decree declaring a blockade of certain areas in Spanish waters and a second decree has since been issued which has occasioned the British request for more exact definition. The British Government has hitherto not recognised the blockade.—*Reuter Bulletin Service.*

HORTHY VISITS VIENNA

SETS POLITICAL TONGUES WAGGING MAY PLAN TO SEE HITLER

Vienna, Aug. 21.

Speculation has been aroused by the sudden arrival in Vienna of Admiral Horthy, Regent of Hungary. It is pointed out in political circles that this is the first time Admiral Horthy has left Hungary since he assumed the regency. Moreover, he has left on a Hungarian national holiday.

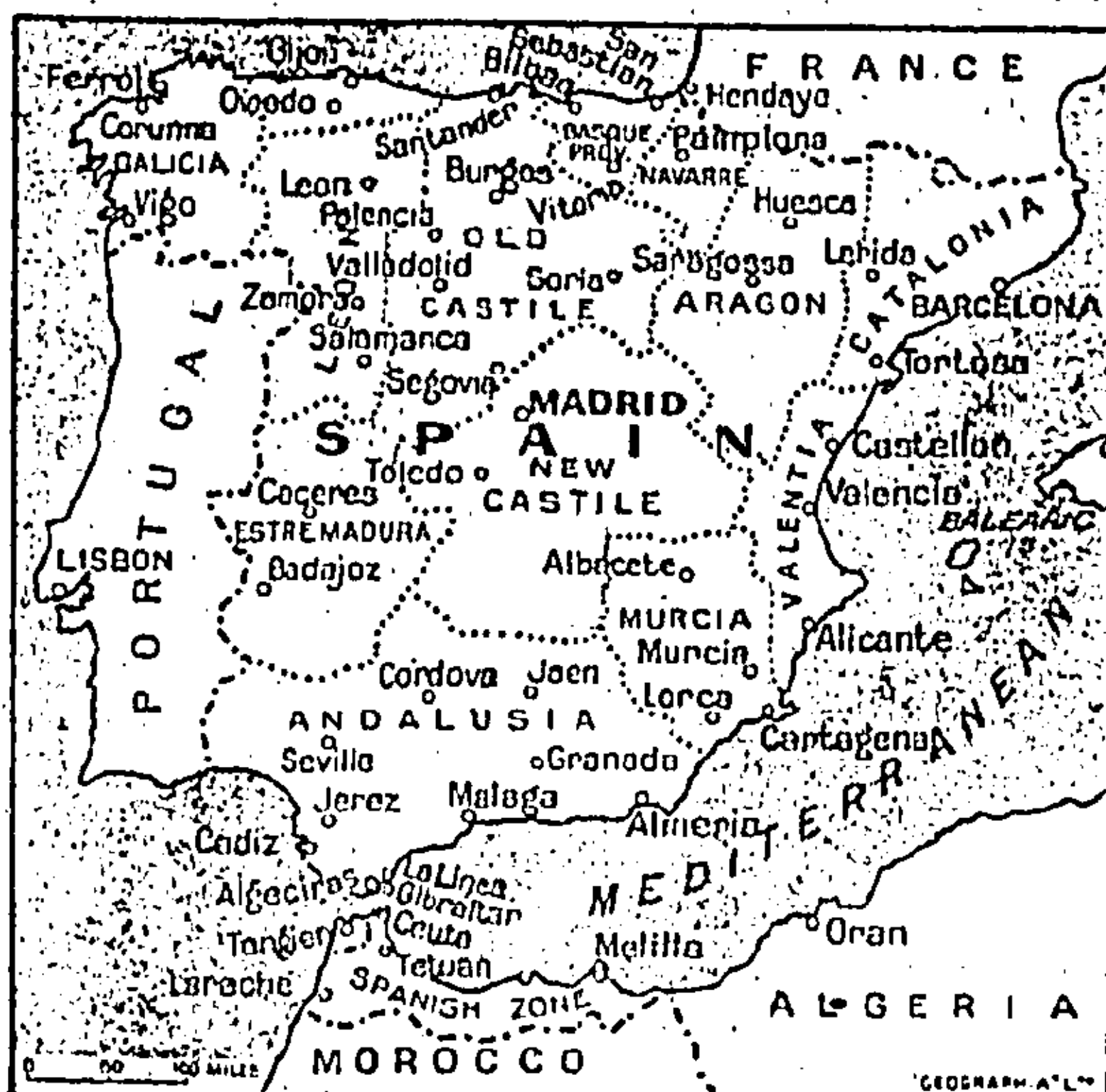
An official communique merely states that Admiral Horthy is the guest of the Austrian Government for a hunting expedition into North Tyrol.

It is rumoured that Admiral Horthy may be joined by Dr. Kurt Schuschnigg, the Austrian Chancellor, and that they may meet Herr Adolf Hitler, Germany's Chancellor, later on at Berchtesgaden or in some other spot in Bavaria. No confirmation is forthcoming, however.—*Reuter.*

FAIR WEATHER

Pressure is highest over the Pacific to the east of Japan, and relatively low in a trough extending from Luzon to the Western Carolines. Local forecast:—S.W. or variable winds, light to moderate; fair.

WHERE RIVAL FORCES FIGHT



The above map shows the cities affected by the major fighting between loyal and rebel forces in Spain to-day. San Sebastian, near the French border, is closely besieged by rebels and Burgos, further south, is in their hands. There is fighting for Oviedo and Coruna further west. Around Madrid, in central Spain, the rebels continue to press with varying success. There is likely to be heavy fighting around Badajoz in Estramadura, and Cordoba, in Andalusia. Seville, Granada, and La Laguna also are threatened by rebel columns in the south, but only the first named is in insurgent hands.

JAPAN LIKELY TO PRESS FOR CONCESSIONS MAY HELP CHINA CRUSH SMUGGLING MENACE

Shanghai, Aug. 21.

Chinese are interestedly, and with some concern, watching the peregrinations of the Japanese Ambassador, Mr. Shigeru Kawagoe, in North China, believing his visit will profoundly affect future Sino-Japanese relations.

Well-informed quarters expect Mr. Kawagoe, on his return to Nanking early in September, will renew the Japanese pressure for acceptance of "suggestions" for the reduction of Chinese import tariffs as the price for co-operation in stamping out smuggling which is now not only undermining the entire economic structure of China but is seriously affecting Nanking's revenue in the rich Yangtse Valley, to which smuggled goods are penetrating.

Mr. Kawagoe is convening the North China Japanese military attaches at Tientsin on Saturday which is considered most significant, in view of the general belief that the Ambassador has been in conference with the Japanese Commander-in-Chief in North China and General Takayoshi Matsumura, successor to General Doihara as head of the Special Service Department of the Japanese Army. He also talked with representatives of the Japanese Foreign and Naval Ministries sent especially from Tokyo, indicating that Mr. Kawagoe's visit is an important element in the future of Japanese relations with China.

Observers believe that Japan, having fretfully watched Nanking proceed to liquidate the Kwangtung-Kwangsi situation, is now determined to exert pressure for concessions affecting Sino-Japanese economic relations before Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, now in Canton, can clear up the Kwangsi problem and face foreign affairs with a clean domestic slate, backed by a united country.

Kawagoe's Objectives

The tenor of Mr. Kawagoe's objectives has also been indicated in an interview he gave to the foreign press in Peking when he stated that he had advised General Sung Chieh-yuan, the Charhar leader, to seek Japanese technical and financial aid in the economic development of North China. General Sung is alleged to have agreed in principle.

Mr. Kawagoe is of the opinion that future discussions should be between Chinese and Japanese officials in North China and not at Nanking. Asked if he would insist on Mr. Koki Hirota's principles, Mr. Kawagoe replied: "If necessary we will negotiate with the Chinese Government, whether the principles are accepted or not."

He said he advised General Sung (Continued on Page 5.)

"DEVILISH" TRAFFIC IN HEROIN

11 CHINESE SENT TO PRISON

CHIEF JUSTICE COMMENTS

"Devilish practice" was the term applied to the drug traffic by the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, at the Criminal Sessions this morning when he passed sentences, ranging from three to four years' hard labour, on 11 Chinese for offences under the Dangerous Drugs Ordinance.

Addressing the prisoners, among whom were two women, His Lordship said: "As you are the first persons to have been charged on indictment for offences under the Dangerous Drugs Ordinance of 1935, I do not propose to pass on you sentences so severe as I reserve the right to pass on those who, at a later Session, are found guilty of the same offence. I say that not because I am going to pass light sentences upon you, but merely as an indication to those who may be prone to continue the practice that the sentences would be more severe."

"You have been engaged, for reasons only known to yourselves, on the most devilish practice one could imagine. I regard it as my duty to pass on you sentences which will serve not only as punishment on yourselves but, which I hope, will act as a deterrent to others. I say this because I am going to pass three years' hard labour on Man Yu, a 40-year-old unemployed man, the first offender to come before him, who was found guilty on a charge of possession of heroin paste and pills at 10 Tung Man Street, first floor, on June 30.

REQUEST REFUSED

A similar sentence was imposed on Lai Kai, aged 36, convicted on a charge of possession of 27,000 heroin pills at 85 Gloucester Road, third floor, on July 10. This prisoner applied for postponement of sentence for two months in order to have time to search for relatives to look after his family. The request was refused. For the possession of 12 ounces of heroin, and 155,000 heroin pills at 4 Ning Yung Terrace on July 7, and 40 ounces of heroin, and 155,000 heroin pills at 21 Ng Shiu, aged 40, and 21 Ng Shiu, aged 29, were each sentenced to four years' hard labour. It was stated by Mr. M. J. Abbott, Assistant Crown Solicitor, before the sentences were passed, that he regarded this case as the most serious of the lot.

Sentences of three and a half years' hard labour were passed on Cheung Kwai, a 30-year-old woman, Lam Tai, 22, and Woo Choi, 36, who were found guilty of possession of 30,845 heroin pills at 45a Wyndham Street, top floor, on July 29. Addressing the woman, His Lordship said: "You are the first woman who has been proved to have taken part in this abominable practice. In ordinary course the Court tends to pass a lighter sentence on a woman than on a man for the same offence, but in dealing with a traffic like this, the work could be done as easily by a woman as by a man. I am therefore not going to make any differentiation, for if I do it will merely be an encouragement to those who employ others in this kind of business to employ women."

FURTHER CASE

The same sentence was passed on Cheung See-wah, 36, Hui Tong, 38, and Wong Vee-wah, a 27-year-old widow, who were found guilty of possession of 69 lbs. 8 ounces of pink mess, containing diacetyl morphine, and 12,700 heroin pills, just before the sentences on all the offenders were imposed. Mr. M. J. Abbott, Assistant Crown Solicitor, conducted the case against them, and the following jury was empanelled: Messrs. O. R. Benson (foreman), D.D. Forbes, H.M. Es. Remedios, F. X. Gomes, J.A.T. Galvin, H. H. Mueller and Chiu Lung-cho. Mr. Abbott said that shortly after 9 a.m. on July 22, Mr. H. A. Taylor, Assistant Superintendent of Imports and Exports, accompanied by Revenue Officer A. W. Grimmit, went to the first floor of 18 Des Voeux Road. They knocked at the door, and after about two minutes, it was opened by a woman. On entering, Mr. Taylor found the floor was practically in darkness.

It appeared to be empty, but on walking to the rear of the premises, Mr. Taylor found two small cubicles in the corner. He entered the rear one, and in it he saw the accused were some pills and pink mess and other paraphernalia. Nearby was a cupboard in which were five trays containing newly-made pills and three chaffies. There was a window but it was completely covered with paper. The room was so dark that Mr. Taylor had to switch on the light. The accused were arrested, and when subsequently charged, the first prisoner said: "I have nothing to say." The second replied: "It is not mine," and the third remarked: (Continued on Page 5.)

SHANGHAI ACCEPTS CHALLENGE

TENNIS INTERPORT PLAN PROGRESSES

The North-China Daily News announces that the invitation of the Hongkong Lawn Tennis Association to the Shanghai L.T.A. to send a men's and women's team here in October or November for an Interport match has been tentatively accepted.

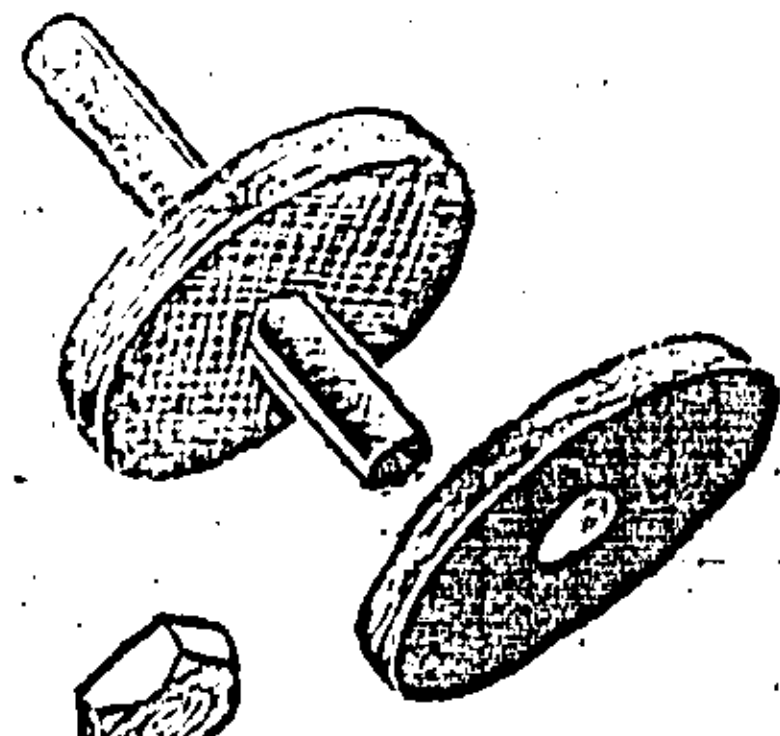
As exclusively announced in the Telegraph, the invitation was sent to Shanghai last week. In consequence of the Shanghai L.T.A.'s decision, a selection committee has been appointed by the Association to choose players who will be approached and asked if they will be available to proceed to Hongkong. It is proposed to stage the Interport either on the Double Tenth or on Armistice Day.

Drip . . . Drip . . . Drip

What's more maddening
than a leaking tap?
Read how to cure it

A LEAKING tap is like a guilty conscience. Its voice oppresses you while you are in the house, the thought of the waste of water torments the mind while you are away.

In nine cases out of ten the trouble is that the washer has gone, and the water continues to drip out of the tap when the handle is screwed right down. It is no use screwing the tap down as far as it will go and thinking it will right itself. A leaking tap always gets worse. The greatest wear on washers is caused by screwing taps too tightly. They should always be screwed gently.



"When you have unscrewed the cap you will have the handle and an object which contains the washer, held on by a nut or screw."

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KITCHEN taps go wrong more often than others because they are more constantly used. Most kitchen taps are what are called in the plumbing world "plain bibcock." They work on a similar system, and I am going to tell you how to mend these. On no account try pulling to pieces gland plug taps or spring taps.

You can tell at once what sort of tap you have by its appearance. If the tap which you are troubled with has no resemblance to the one in the illustration, do not try to mend it; send for a plumber. Plain bibcock are sometimes covered up with chromium shields, which unscrew easily.

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FIRST you must notice whether it is a hot tap or a cold tap that is defective, for the treatment varies with the water system.

Cold taps are mostly supplied from the main water supply, especially in towns. This means that the cold water does not go into a tank, as the hot water does, but comes straight from the main in the street.

Somewhere in your house there will be a stopcock, that is to say, a tap without a spout, which when screwed down cuts off the supply of cold water to your house. You must find this and screw it down. It is generally in a fairly obvious position where the water pipes enter your house. Sometimes it is in a hole in the ground and is worked with a key.

When you have turned off the water, turn on the leaking tap full until there is no water left in the pipes.



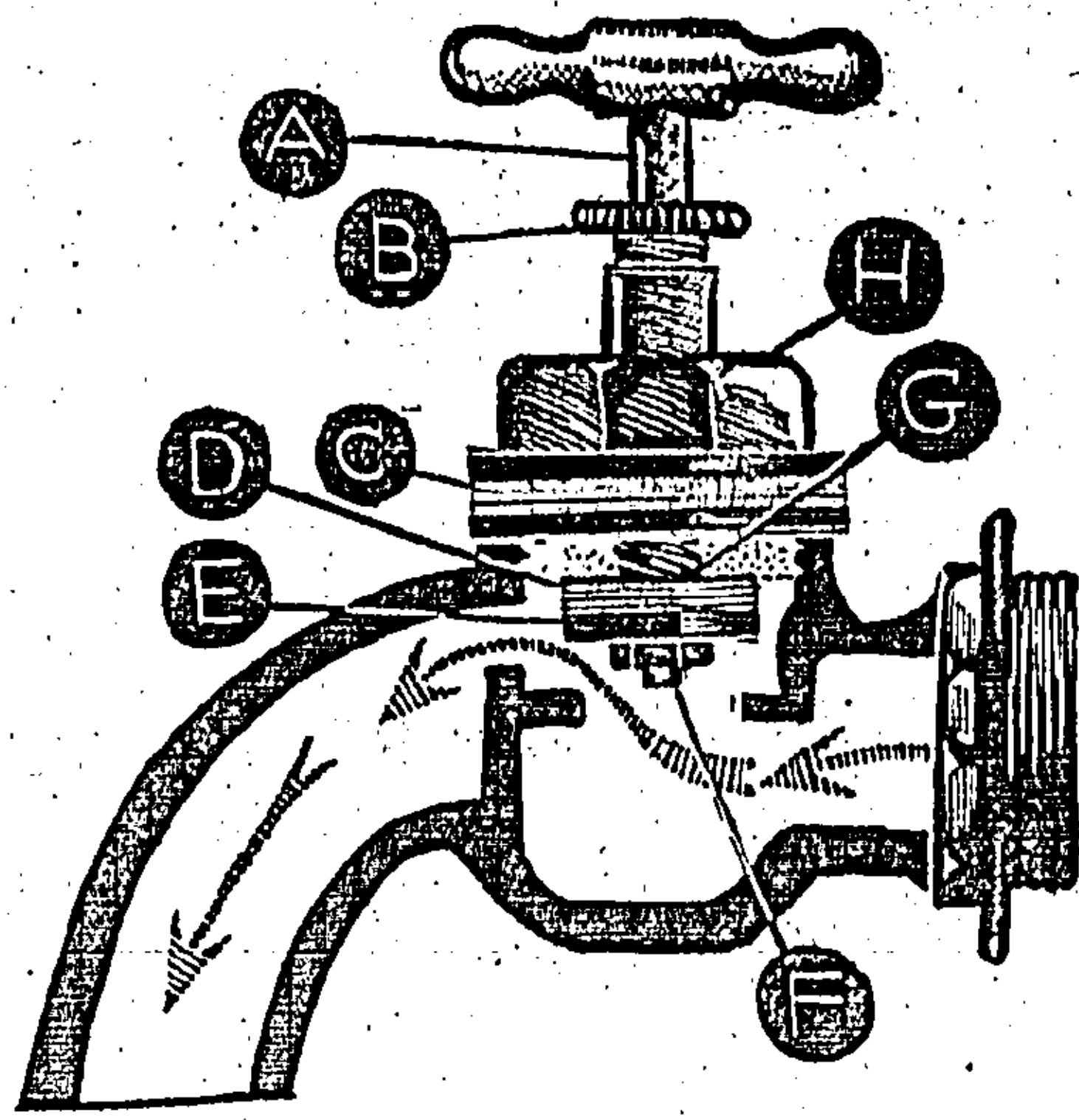
"A dripping tap is a torment to any one."

Housewives—do you know

1. What to do with a burned saucepan?
2. Which is the basis sauce for several other sauces? Suggest some variations.
3. How can you ensure that sliced apples and bananas for a fruit salad will not turn brown?
4. You like your table linen only moderately stiff. If you wash it at home, what do you do?

Answers:

1. Boil salt and water in it, then rub the burned spots with a dish-cloth dipped in salt. Now wash in the usual way.
2. A white sauce. First melt a large knob of butter in your saucepan, gradually stir in three-quarters of an ounce of flour, and stir over the fire until it boils, then allow it to simmer for ten minutes or more. Given the suitable additions, this sauce may be turned into a mushroom, parsley, shrimp, egg, anchovy or caper sauce.
3. As soon as you have peeled and sliced the fruit, sprinkle the slices with lemon juice. This will keep them white, and, if sugar is also added, will improve the flavour of the salad.
4. You will find that rice water makes an excellent light starch for anything which you require only moderately stiff.



of the tap—that is to say, to the left. Test it gently and see.

When you have unscrewed the handle of the tap and an object at the end of it (see illustration on the left) which contains the washer, which is held on by a little nut or possibly, a screw. Undo the nut or screw with a pair of pliers and you will find the washer probably perished or split or torn away.

Remove this and substitute a new washer. Washers are made in two sizes, 3/16 in. and 1/4 in. for large or small taps. Washers cost a penny each from any ironmonger.

When you have fixed the washer of the right size screw up the nut or screw which keeps it in place tightly.

Now you can start fiddling about with the tap. And here you must know how a tap works. The illustration makes it far clearer than any words of mine. You will see that when the tap is screwed down on the opening no water can well through and out at the spout unless the washer is leaking. If you screw down the washer too hard on the opening, you may either break the washer or break the jumper.

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LET'S get to work to mend the tap. With an adjustable spanner unscrew the cap. Do not confuse the cap with the gland ring. The gland ring is the first screwable thing below the handle, the tap is the second. The cap will probably unscrew in an opposite direction to the handle.

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NEW jumper, obtainable at an ironmonger's, should cost about sixpence. You may now have a certain amount of difficulty in keeping the jumper in the socket of the spindle while you are screwing on the cap again.

Rub some soap on the end of the jumper which enters the spindle and it will keep in position. Do not forget when you screw on the cap to put back the leather cap washer.

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WHEN you want to repair the washer of a hot water tap the procedure with the tap itself is the same as I have described, only you must remember to use a composition washer. But the first step, that of turning off the water at the stopcock, is different.

You will probably find the stopcock of the hot water system is put in front of the tank, so that you have to turn the hot water taps full on and empty the tank before you can set to work to repair the washer.

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WASHERS are not the only things which can go wrong in a tap. Sometimes whenever you turn on the water it wells up under the handle, and seems to be pouring out at all places except the spout.

This means that the gland packing has worn out. Do not despair, you will not have to empty the hot water tank or hunt about for a stopcock. Just turn off the tap and follow me.

You will remember in the beginning of this article that I mentioned the gland ring, which is the first screwable looking object under the handle of the usual sort of tap.

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Unscrew this as far as it will go. You will find that when unscrewed it will reveal a cavity all round the stem of the tap. This cavity should be filled with either asbestos, gra-

TAP:

- A. Stem.
- B. Gland Ring.
- C. Cap Washer.
- D. Jumper.
- E. Washer.
- F. Jumper Nut.
- G. Spindle.
- H. Cap.

phite twist, or oily, coarse-looking string. If your tap is giving trouble this twist will be in an emerald state. Pick it all out with a piece of wire or a braidawl.

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YOU can buy special twist for the glands of taps or you can make your own by soaking coarse string, or even that thread people use for darning, in motor grease, lard, or tallow.

Now wind it round the spindle of the tap and poke it down with a braidawl or piece of wire that will not bend too easily, until the cavity is full. Screw on the gland ring. Do not pack the cavity too tightly.

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John Betjeman
Cut this article out. It will be useful for reference if YOUR tap starts dripping.

Intestinal Troubles In Hot Weather.

Food and drinks become so rapidly tainted that stomach and intestinal troubles are to be expected in summer. In any case the heat lowers the vitality, reduces appetite and interferes with the digestion so that precautions are necessary. In order to be fit you must keep stomach and bowels clear and clean. The occasional dose of Pinkettes will do this for you pleasantly and naturally. Pinkettes remove any harmful substances eaten before they have time to do harm. As a general all round health-safeguard during the hotter months you cannot use anything finer than Pinkettes. All chemists can supply you.

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Goompy Again

WELL, it was in my Abbot's Shorting days when my daughter Goompy used to help me in smithy by nooding ho-oses when I wanted 'em to change legs while I was shoeing 'em. And a champion nooder she were. "I don't care," she used to say. "One day one of they Lanthorn fellers left his car outside smithy with radio turned on, and Goompy she were in a proper ma-aze. "Eh, wirra wirra!" she said. "Eh, julla me, julla de! Feather, is it the weyther, or be I at the end of my tyehter? What makes that voice?"

Please Read On

WELL, the feller happens along just then, and tells Goompy 'tis nobbut ra-a-a-dio.

"The girl mawleycrummet!" she giggles. "Makin' fun of a simple maid like Oll! 'Tis thee ventriloquist!" And with that Goompy gave him a playful noodge in the ribs. Down he went like a wabbling puddock—completely unconscious. I assure you. But the voice went on.

And Goompy laughed, and laughed and laughed. "Feather!" she gasped. "He were right! 'Tis ra-a-a-dio! We mawn buy yin!"

And so we did, and stood it in wheel-barrow.

This proves, you see, that demonstration assists sales.

SONG FOR WIVES

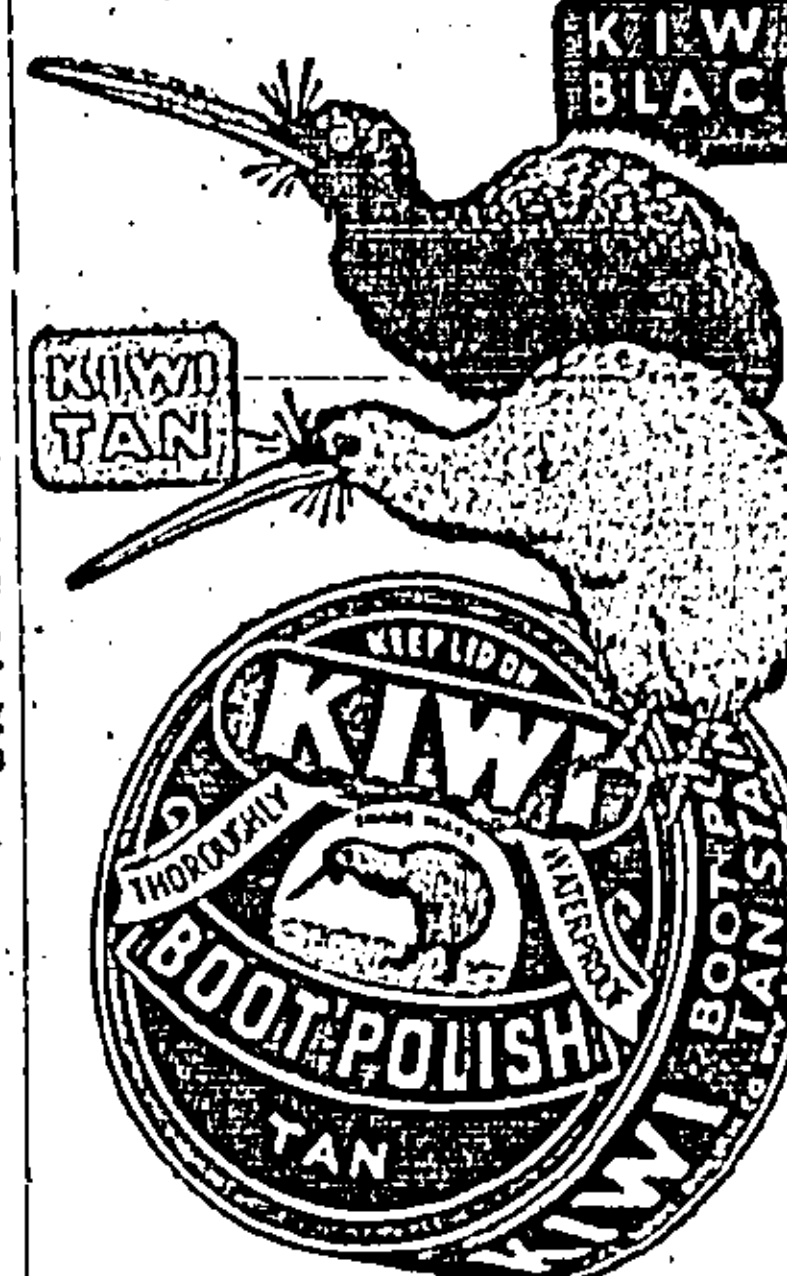
An expert prophesies a time "when baldness will be quite unknown, and men will keep their hair until the end of their lives." Meanwhile—

I married him at twenty
or maybe twenty-four;
Of hair he had a plenty,
And whiskers, too, galore;

I loved him, I loved him, and who shall der
To blame me for loving his handsome hair!

His hair has now been banished
By one's relentless touch;
But I don't worry the vanished,
I love him just as much:

I love him, I love him, and who shall call
Me foolish for loving my Billiard Ball!



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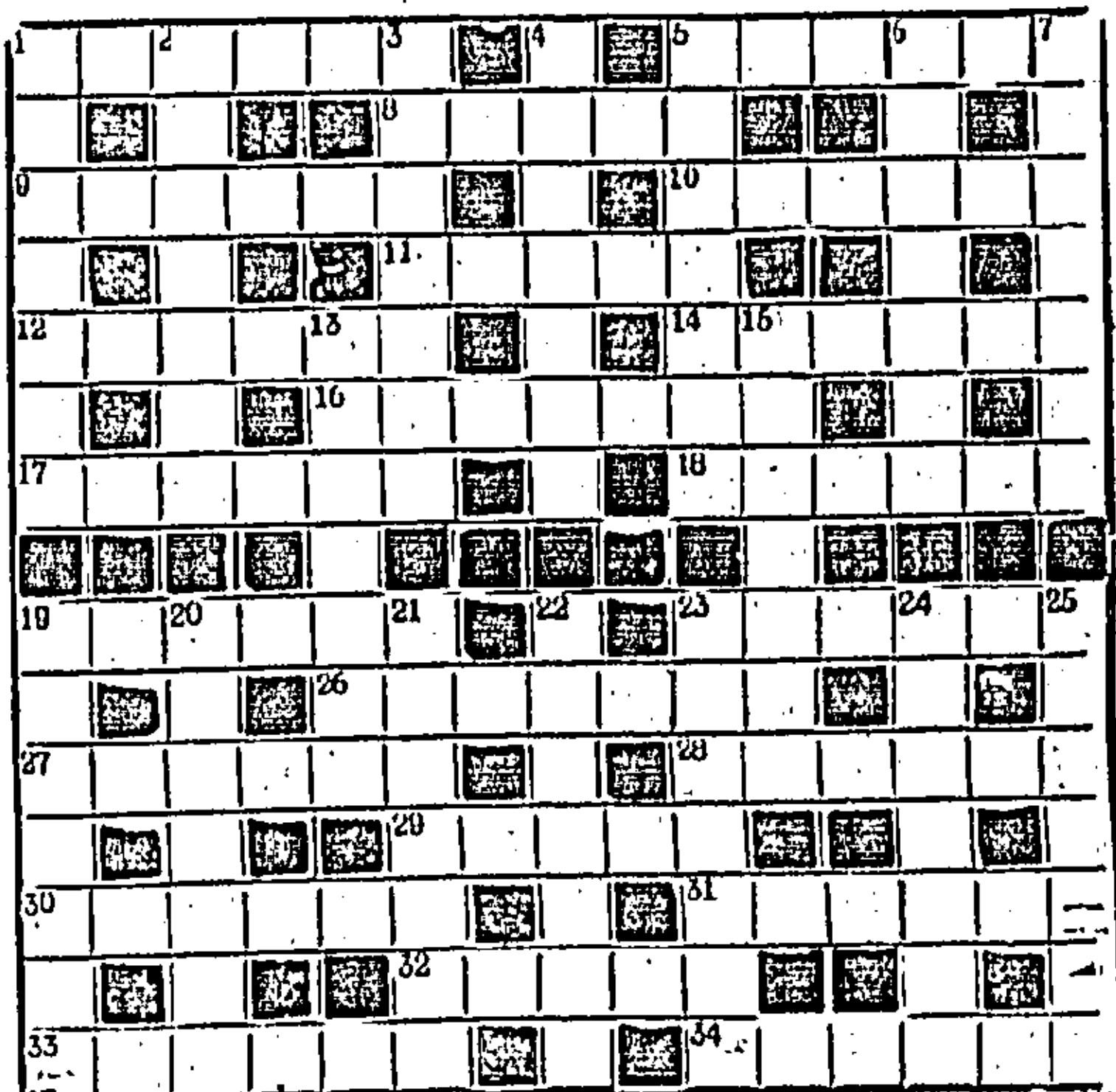
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- 1 A humorist hides a row while going through shallow water.
- 5 More than dislike.
- 8 You are looking at to-day's.
- 10 What a singer might do if upset.
- 12 Hay is, and so is an ear-trumpet.
- 13 Standard measure.
- 14 For a smoker it's all right between a couple of exclamations.
- 16 About a game of golf.
- 17 Ruin an entrance for resort.
- 18 No enthusiastic description of the spiritualist.
- 19 Useful for the conjuror and recognizable in levers.
- 20 With a reddish coating, 1 and many more are suitable for the country.
- 23 Barbarian.
- 24 They are born in the country.
- 27 Gracious, is it much better than C?
- 28 A sorter appears to have recourse to a holiday spot.
- 29 The road-hog doesn't except when he encounters such roads.
- 30 Disregard.
- 31 My neighbour?
- 32 More than usually.
- 33 Call upon to appear.
- 34 Rather vulgar, commotion (Hyphen 4 and 2).

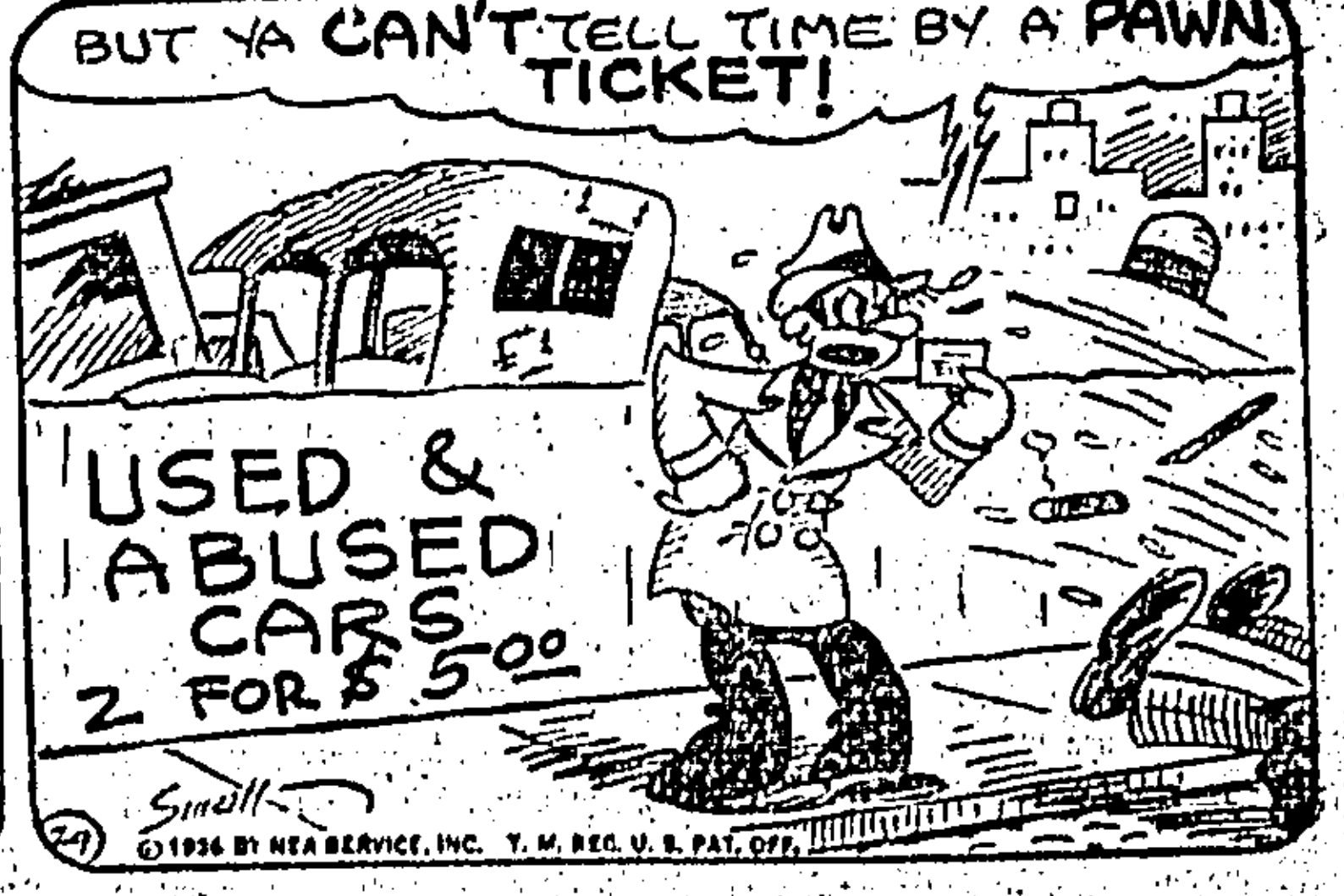
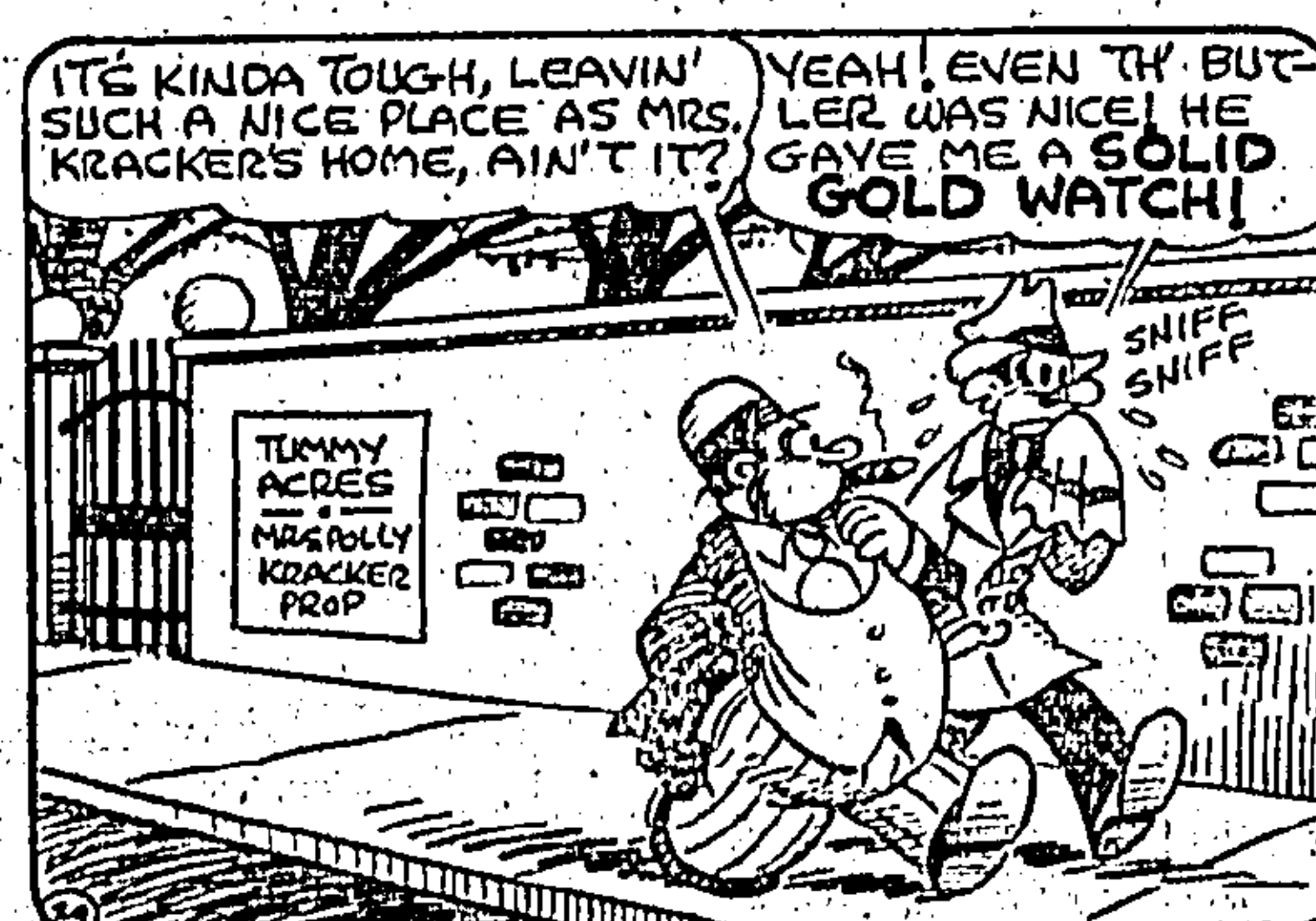
DOWN

- 1 Dorset town tells you what to do with clothes.
- 2 Slough?
- 3 Material to keep out the wet.
- 4 Pour oil on the waters.
- 5 Overthrows and what they may have caused at cricket.
- 6 Tumbling out.
- 7 Might be altered after it has been.
- 13 Possibly killing!
- 15 The time-server obtains it eventually.
- 19 The white variety are mentioned very early next month.
- 20 Word for word.
- 21 Bar that opens with a confession of inability or the opposite.
- 22 Form of ragtime.
- 23 Not a flattering report (Two words 4 and 3).
- 24 Rough to be always inside in such dry weather.
- 25 Blurt out (Two words 3 and 4).

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THE WORLD COPIES THE ENGLISHWOMAN

New Vogue Sets the Britain Exports Clothes • American Fashion Buyers Looms Humming • Worth £1,070,000 • Invade London

PARIS TAKES BACK SEAT

(By GRACE WILSON)

ALL the world is copying the clothes of the Englishwoman. New standards of dress have switched the world fashion centre from Paris to London—and British dress material manufacturers are recording a continued increase in their business.

Last year Britain exported £1,070,000 worth of women's skirts, coats, and dresses—a considerable advance on the year before.

One West Riding manufacturer of worsted costumes cloths has seen his business increase by 300 per cent. in the last year.

Women in all parts of the world are falling in love with the more severe and sensible British styles, as opposed to floral fells, and Paris is being forced to take a back seat.

That was why £77,000 worth of British knitted wear was ordered overseas last year.

America Wants Our Styles

British imported clothes are a luxury in the United States, but this has not stopped the craze among American women to dress "just as the British do."

American retail stores are now sending their buyers to visit London before the Paris displays. They return to America with British models which are copied over and over again.

A representative selection of dresses made by leading British designers has just been taken over to the United States on the Queen Mary by the British fashion group—and New York's most fashionable women have crowded the dress show ever since.

Empire markets are also occupying the attention of the British dressmakers. One famous firm is sending its entire collection to South Africa at the end of our summer season. The South African dress season begins when ours ends.

Trades Benefit

Visitors to London have returned to praise the plain slick suits, casual coats, and close-fitting dresses which British women have made particularly their own.

The textile and ready-made clothing trades have already felt the advantage of this ever-increasing overseas market.

Even in the Middle West of America women are adopting British styles. Comparative figures show that there has been a £40,000 increase in the export of dresses and £26,000 in knitted wear.

Plans are now being made to hold periodical exhibitions in the Empire and foreign countries of typically British styles.

MARY ASTOR'S SHOCK FOR HER EX-HUSBAND

"He was Married When I Married Him"

Los Angeles, Aug. 10. MISS MARY ASTOR, the film star, has applied to the court here to set aside the divorce granted her husband, Mr. D. K. F. Thorpe, last year, and to declare her marriage null and void.

The grounds of her application are that Mr. Thorpe married her without divorcing another woman.

Her affidavit, filed in support of these charges, does not name the other woman, whose existence Miss Astor asserts she only recently discovered.

Miss Astor also asks for the sole custody of her four-year-old daughter, Marilyn. Reuter.

Miss Astor's charges against her husband follow closely on a claim she has filed in court for the possession of her daughter.

In this claim, she charges Mr. Thorpe with having coerced her into permitting him to get the divorce, with custody of the child, by threatening that he would "publicly scandalize her" and ruin her career as an actress.

Miss Astor declared that Marilyn has now reached a "formative age, and needs a mother's constant and continuous companionship, love and attention."

One Under the Eight—& One Over

Paris, Aug. 10. Augustine Fernandez was charged with being drunk and disorderly at Bouffault to-day. He said he was celebrating his birthday.

"Which birthday?" inquired the judge. "You have seven birth certificates, and seem to have been born at various times between 1902 and 1915—at Constantinople, Turin, Blida, Tripoli, Smyrna, Athens and Salonika."

"I take no chances," replied the culprit. "I celebrate them all."

GAS MASKS FOR THE MILLIONS AT HOME



A girl wearing the type of respirator approved for general civilian use in Great Britain. Forty million of these masks are to be made for distribution to the entire civilian population.

Council for Civil Liberties

Simon to be Sent Baton Charge Evidence

ANOTHER attempt is to be made to get the Home Secretary to hold an inquiry into the allegations of brutality made against the police following a baton charge in Thurloe Square, W., on March 22.

The National Council for Civil Liberties has, in Friends House, concluded its investigation into the affair and will now consider its report.

Statements of the various witnesses, the chairman (Prof. Bentwick) said, will be sent to Sir John Simon in the hope that he will belatedly hold an inquiry.

A further invitation to the Commissioner of Police to send witnesses or an observer to the inquiry received only formal acknowledgment.

On the night of the charge a Fascist meeting was being held in the Albert Hall, half a mile away.

Witness recently described to the commission what they saw in Thurloe Square. One said that when the police charged they hit out at everyone they could see.

"MISINFORMED"

Another witness, who said that he was batoned on the head and knocked unconscious, declared that the police made extremely vituperative remarks, and that he saw one mounted policeman chasing a man and shouting, "I'll get you, you—"

Evidence was also given that a foot policeman seized an elderly woman and held her against some railings.

Referring to a statement by the Home Secretary in the Commons that stones and mud were thrown at the police, the chairman asked one witness if he had seen anything of that sort.

"There was nothing there to throw," was the reply, and in further answer to the chairman said he thought the Home Secretary was misinformed.

A man who declared he was not a police witness said he did not stay for the meeting.

He told the Commission that he spoke to a number of people who told him that they had gone there with the intention of entering the Albert Hall and breaking up the meeting.

"As far as I saw anything of the police, they were very courteous and considerate," he said.

Members of the Commission, in addition to the chairman, were: Mr. Harrison Barrow, Professor F. M. Cornford, Miss Eleanor Rathbone, M.P., and Mr. J. B. Priestley.

PUREST IRON WORTH MORE THAN GOLD

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Although man has had the use of iron for 5,000 years, "pure" iron has only just been made—by the National Physical Laboratory at Teddington. It is softer than copper, and as valuable as gold. It is also more highly magnetic than is normal iron.

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The laboratory's reason for going to all this trouble to make virtually pure iron is to enable an accurate study to be made of the effects of adding very small amounts of other metals to it. The two last and most vital steps in the Teddington formula for making it are as follows:

First, iron, in powdered form, already as pure as it can otherwise be made, is heated in an atmosphere of hydrogen to drive the last traces of oxygen from it. The heating is done in specially-made vessels of pure alumina, and an electric furnace is used.

Finally, when all the oxygen has been removed, the iron is again heated in a vacuum to remove any hydrogen which it has dissolved during the previous process.

Under laboratory conditions, a price of 5s. a gram represents as near an estimate as possible of the cost, in time and trouble, of making pure iron. The present price of gold is about 4s. 10d. a gram.

On the other hand, it is pointed out that if there were ever any serious commercial demand for pure iron, it could be made very much more cheaply. In spite of its extreme initial softness, it can be easily hardened by rolling.

RANCHER-EARL WANTS TO LIVE IN LONDON

Switzerland's "First Seaport"

Basle, Aug. 5. Switzerland's first "seaport" was officially inaugurated here by the arrival from London of the 500-ton freighter Bernina—the first merchant vessel from overseas to enter Swiss waters.

The Bernina is also the first Swiss-owned merchant vessel to sail the sea.

With her sister ship the Alpina, she will maintain a service between Basle and London and Gothenburg, via the Rhine and the North Sea.

Basle, at the terminal for river traffic on the Rhine, has become one of the most important inland harbours of the world.

Plans are before the Swiss Government for the development of a similar port at Geneva.

Clothes To Fit Our Characters

You will be interested to learn that English tailors cut cloth not only according to their patrons' figures but also to their characters.

The authority for the statement is the London correspondent of a Berlin paper.

He is brave, this reporter of fashions.

He dares to say that: Green hats, golfshoes and straw hats are just not worn, that they are beyond the pale, and sported only by cads and dandies, or—in the case of golfshoes—only by "relics of the last century."

He also insists that there is a distinct falling-off in the wearing of plus fours.

Despite all this, England, he says, still leads the world in men's fashions.

BRIGHTER STREETS The editor of the "Tailor and Cutter" had these comments to make: "Most men seem to own a green hat and it certainly brightens the streets. Naturally, care must be taken with what suits it is worn."

"As for the straw hat—well, so much depends on the weather."

"And few people wear golfshoes nowadays."

The point about the green hat rumbles. It's the commonest colour for headgear in Germany, anyway.

Triplet Girls After Triplet Boys

Berlin, Aug. 10. The wife of Dr. Fritz Witten, a medical man in Stroebeck, near Halberstadt, who had already presented her husband with triplets (all boys), has now again had triplets.

This time all three are girls. Exchange.

Such Fun (AND SUCH BEER) In The Old Country

(By A Special Correspondent) Calgary (Alberta), Aug. 15.

The twenty-two-year-old Earl of Egmont chewed a matchstick as he talked to me to-day.

A two-day growth of beard stubbled his chin. He wore a wide-brimmed sombrero.

I had driven out to his ranch to ask him if he intends returning to England—found him loading a truck with timber.

The answer to my question—"Yes"—was supplied by the countess, formerly Miss Ann Geraldine Moodie, his cousin.

"I'm going to get Freddie to England next year," she said, "even if I've got to loggie him."

She told me this as her husband disappeared kitchenwards in search of drinks.

Lady Egmont went on: "Freddie wanted to go to England immediately after we married, but I was afraid of the ocean crossing."

"Now I am anxious to be there for the Coronation, and for a visit to our English home."

A BATTLE "He wants to sell up in Canada before we go to England, but I do not want him to do that. So we're having a battle."

At this moment the countess's sister, Miss Moodie, entered with a tray holding bottles of beer and tumblers.

The rancher-earl followed her with another tray.

Lady Egmont confided to me: "Freddie loves beer since he visited England. He drinks it at every meal—even with breakfast."

Lord Egmont interposed: "Yes, but it isn't like the beer in the old country. There's no strength in it."

He proudly displayed the silver tray he had carried in.

"I brought this from the ancestral home," he said. "See, there's a crest on it. It must be a hundred years old."

Lady Egmont said to me: "Ever since Freddie came back from England he has been dissatisfied with Canada."

Her husband said: "Well, you can have fun in the old country."

The countess replied: "O.K. We'll go after Christmas, but I won't have you selling up in Canada."

THE NEXT EARL "I want little Freddie, our two-year-old son, to be educated in England," she explained. "He will have to carry on his father's title one day and I want him fitted for it."

"Yes," she said. "We shall come to England next year, but we shall be very secretive about it."

Earl of Egmont succeeded to the title in May 1932. His father had farmed in Alberta for twenty-eight years before 1929, when he succeeded. The young earl was married in August 1932. Family seat is Ayles Castle, in Hampshire.

Heroic History for Aryans

Munich, Aug. 12. History teaching in colleges and universities in South Germany is to be revolutionised "in order to make the student useful to the State."

Bavaria's recently-formed Ministry of Culture orders that "instruction be confined to a grand historical outline, and all past events made useful to the present situation of our nation."

"The formation of our 100,000,000 German people both inside and outside the Reich boundaries must be made clear to the student."

"Emphasis must be laid on the Teutonic spirit, race, the Fuehrer-idea, and defence, in order to build up a heroic philosophy."—Reuter.

Miss Sheila MacDonald Turns Tutor

MISS SHEILA MACDONALD, twenty-five-year-old daughter of Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, has sailed for St. Vincent, West Indies, to become a tutor.

Miss Isabel MacDonald, licensee of the Plough Inn, Flowers Bottom, near Speen, Bucks, said at her father's Hampstead home:

"Sheila goes as tutor to the two daughters, aged fourteen and sixteen, of Mr. Arthur Alban Wright, Administrator of the Colony, and Mrs. Wright."

"She first met their parents in Fiji. Mr. Wright was Secretary for Native Affairs there."

FIXING FRONTIERS OF ABYSSINIA WORK ON KENYA BORDER

Rome, Aug. 17. An Italian column under General Geloso is reported to have completed a survey and occupation of the southern regions of Abyssinia along the Kenya frontier.

Entering the Galla Sidamo Province, the column set up a local government at Dawa Parma, and moved eastwards along the northern edge of the Kenya borderland. Moving inland, the Italians occupied Mega, a town of strategic importance in the Boran, controlling the traffic routes between Kenya and the lake district. South of that, at the frontier station of Moyale, contact was made with the British outpost.

"Having exactly fixed the territorial and traffic demarcation lines between Ethiopia and the British possession," General Geloso has turned north to enter the Lake Margherita territory and has already reached Javello.

Another Italian column is operating in eastern Abyssinia and is endeavouring to clear up the ranges which flank the Addis Ababa-Jibuti railway.



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21 YEARS AGO Extracts From The "Telegraph" Files

The following extracts are from the Hongkong Telegraph for the week ended August 28, 1915.

The rate of the dollar in demand was 1s. 9.7/16d.

Hongkong donations to the Kwangtung Flood Relief Fund totalled \$496,547 to date.

The Douglas Steamship Co., Ltd., declared a dividend of nine per cent.

Lady May opened a fund for the raising of money from the women of Hongkong for the purchase of a motor ambulance for service at the Front.

THE HONG KONG TELEGRAPH SIXTH ANNUAL

Amateur Photographic Competition

Details have been unavoidably crowded out of this edition but the list of sections, rules and Entry Form are printed below.

SECTIONS:—

SECTION 1
Story-Telling
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- The Prize will be awarded to the competitors sending in what are adjudged to be the best photographs in each Section. Each entry must be accompanied by a form which will be published daily during the period of the Competition.
- The right to publish any or all of the entries in the Telegraph is reserved.
- Photographs which have been already entered in local competitions are ineligible.
- At the conclusion of the Competition, entries will be returned to competitors on application at this Office within seven days.
- No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery, loss or damage.
- Photographs must not be less than Post-card size (excepting in the Children's Section) and the entry form should be lightly pasted on the back.
- No correspondence will be entered into in connection with the Competition.
- Entries in the Children's Section must bear the name, age and address on the entry form countersigned by a parent.
- No employee or member of any firm in the photographic trade is permitted to compete.
- Members of the Staffs of the Hongkong Telegraph and the South China Morning Post are not permitted to compete.
- The decision of the Judges shall be final.

Entry Form

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE MARKET IRREGULAR YESTERDAY

New York, Aug. 20. — Swan, Culbertson & Fritz Dow Jones summary of yesterday's market: "The market to-day was dull and irregular, with the majority of issues registering declines. Dealings, however, became lighter on the decline, but some support appeared before the close of the session. Business reports continued favourable and there is nothing in the news that would adversely affect the market, which requires some unusual stimulus to shake off the lethargy. Steel, copper, silver and railroad stocks declined. Rubber shares advanced, led by Goodrich issues. The market for bonds was mixed, whilst stocks on the Curb Exchange were irregularly lower.

S. C. & F. New York office cables: Stocks: "The market was irregular, but it maintained a firm tone. The Curb Products Refining Company has advanced the bulk of its prices by 20 cents and packaged goods by 10 cents per hundredweight."

Cotton: It is rumoured that two prominent cotton authorities have reduced their estimate of the crop by 600,000 bales in comparison with the last report issued by these authorities. This is due to the fact that there have been no rains in the South-West.

Wheat: The mill and foreign market are easier. Active ploughing is reported in the South-West, in spite of the dryness. Snow & Company estimate the Canadian wheat crop at 225,000,000 bushels.

Corn: Rains in the East and scattered showers in the West may not help corn materially, but the feed crops should derive some benefit. Cash demand is less urgent and there is more talk of the probability of large Argentine imports. Sentiment is more bearish and sellers are cautious, due to the underlying strength of the cash position.

S. C. & F. Wall Street Journal morning comment: "Some brokers are still strongly bullish in railroad stocks. Brokers report that to-day witnessed some European buying here for the first time in the last couple of weeks. Investors are buying preferred issues of steel securities. The July railroad earnings' statements are equipped to stimulate an advance in rails. The entire steel outlook is satisfactory, possibly with the exception of the labour situation."

REUTER QUOTATIONS

Dow Jones Averages: Aug. 19, Aug. 20.
30 Industrials 106.04 105.59
20 Rails 54.07 53.63
20 Utilities 34.77 34.54
40 Bonds 103.84 103.83
11 Commodity Index 67.60 66.30

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S CABLED QUOTATIONS

The following quotations are the middle prices at the close of the market in London on Aug. 20. All quotations are subject to confirmation and no responsibility is assumed for errors in transmission.

Price	Price
War Loan 3½% 100½	100½
Chinese 4½% 100½	100½
Bonds 1800 100½	100½
Chinese 5% Gold 100½	100½
Bonds 1800 100½	100½
Chinese 5% Loan 100½	100½
Chinese 5% Recog. 100½	100½
Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.) 92	92
Chinese Imperial Ry. 95	95
Hongkong Ry. 95½	95½
Hukwang Ry. 95½	95½
1011 5% 52½	52½
Lung Tsing U. Ry. 31½	32
Shai-Nanking Ry. 76	76
Tient-Pukow Ry. 48	48
5% (Brit. Spd) 47½	47½
Tient-Pukow Ry. 47½	47½
5% (Brit. Spd) 47½	47½
Supl. Loan 47½	47½
Tient-Pukow Ry. 47½	47½
5% (Ger. Spd) 47½	47½
Japan 5% Sterling 80	80½
Japan 6% Sterling 80½	80½
German 7% International Loan 60	59½
Chartered Bank of I. A. & C. 15½	15½
H.K. & Shanghai Ry. 102	102
Regd. 102	102
Chinese Engineering & Mining (bearer) 10½	10½
Chosen Corp. 10½	10½
Peking Syndicate 2/9	2/9
Shai Electric Construction Co. 45/6	45/6
Shai Waterworks "A" 34½	34½
Union Insurance 33½	33½
Soc. of Canton 28/3	28/3
Gulu Kulumpong 28/3	28/3
British American Tobacco 35/9	35/9
Associated & Electrical Industries 54/6	54/6
Austin Motors, ord 54/3	54/3
Beats Pure Drug 54/10½	57/4½
British American Tobacco (bearer) 121/10½	123/1½
Carmell, Laird, ord. 14/9	14/9
Mexican Eagle 26½	26½
Courtaulds 49/9	51/6
Guinness (A) Son & Co. 105/6	105/9
Dunlop Rubber 39/9	39/9
General Electric (England) 30½	35/9
Guinness (A) Son & Co. 150½	150½
Hawker Aircraft 55/9	55/3
Imp. Chemical Industries 40½	39/7½
Imperial Tobacco 169½	169/9
Marika & Spencer "A" ord. 38/0	38/0
O. S. S. 52/3	52/3
Rolls Royce 172/6	172/6
Tate & Lyle 80/0	80/9
Turner & Newall 102½	102½
United Steel 35½	35½
Vickers, ord. 132½	132½
Woolworths 142½	143/9
Anglo-Dutch Rubber Plantation 29/10½	26/10½
Investment Trust 31½	31½
Burma Corp. 107½	11½
Commonwealth Mining 8/9	8/9
Manganese Investments 35/9	35/9
Randfontein Estates 77½	77½
Spring Mines 40½	40½
Sub-Nigel 241/3	242/6
Tanah Gold 1/3	1/3
Mining 88½	88½
Anglo-Finnish 96/3	96/3
Burmah Shell Transport and Trading	

WATER LEVELS

STATE OF RIVERS IN KWANGTUNG

The following returns have been issued by the River Conservancy Commission for Kwangtung Province, showing the water levels in English feet at the places of observation named:

Place	Highest	Lowest	on record	Aug. 19	Aug. 20
West River at Wuchow	+19.0	-2.5	62.2	—	—
West River at Shihshing	+41.0	0	31.3	—	—
North River at Chienan	+26.0	0	6.0	7.1	—
North River at Shamsui	+27.5	-6	10.7	18.8	—
East River at Chienan	+15.5	-2.7	8.1	8.2	—

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4 m/s. D/P do	1/3½
4 m/s. L/C U.S.A.	1/3½
4 m/s. France	5.00
30 d/s. India	5.03
U.S. Cross rate in London	5.03

EXCHANGE RATES

Place	Aug. 19	Aug. 20
Paris	70.27/04	70.27/04
Berlin	15.44	15.42½
Athens	5.20	5.20
Milan	6.37½	6.37½
Oslo	19.90	19.90
Shanghai	1/2.13/32	1/2.13/32
New Amsterdam	7.41	7.41
Vienna	26½	26½
Prague	121½	121½
Madrid	40	40
Lisbon	110½	110½
Hongkong	1/2.29/32	1/2.29/32
Bombay	1/6½	1/6½
Brussels	29.83	29.82½
Montreal	5.03½	5.03½
Monte Video	38½	38½
Yokohama	1/2.1/04	1/2.1/04
Silver (forward) 19½	19½	19½
Silver (spot) 19½	19½	19½
War Loan	106½	106½

MANILA SHARES

The following quotations have been received by Swan, Culbertson & Fritz from their Manila office after the close of the morning's session:

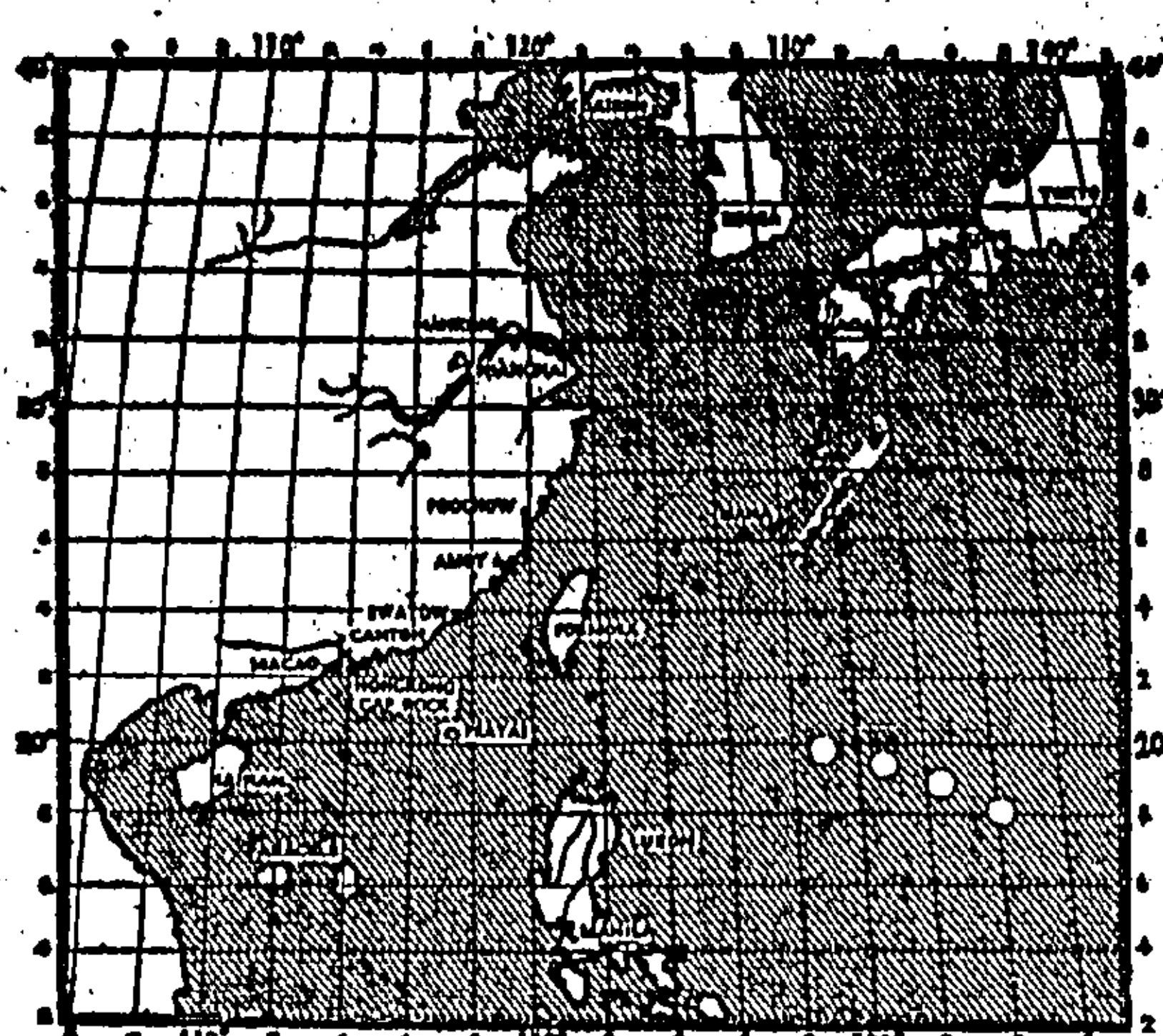
Prices in Pesos	Buyers	Sellers
Antamok	3.35	3.40
Atok	58	59
Baguio Gold	35	37
Benguet Consolidated	14.75	15.00
Benguet Exploration	25	27
Big Wedge	39	40
Consolidated Mines	0.55	0.60
Demonstration	1.00	1.05
Itozon	1.75	1.80
Masbate	0.64	0.65
San Mauricio	1.00	1.05
Suyoc	47	48
United Paracale	1.55	1.60
Market—Dull.		

POPE NOT AFFLICTED

Vatican City, Aug. 20. — Questioned about reports that Pope Pius is suffering from rheumatism, a spokesman of the Vatican to-day said the suggestion was "ridiculous and false." —United Press.

(bearer)	105½	105½
Chinese 5% Sterling Notes 1925 (Vickers)	23	23½
Canton - Kowloon Ry. 5% 33	33	33

TRACK OF LATEST TYPHOON



The Manila Observatory reports at 8.40 a.m. to-day that the typhoon is situated in about 129 Long, 20 Lat., moving W.N.W. White dots show the track.

POST OFFICE.

INWARD MAILS

Straits	Toba Maru	August 21
Japan	Eokuyo Maru	August 22
Straits	Conte Verde	August 22
Shanghai and Swatow	Kwangtung	August 22
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 1st August)	Pres. Jefferson	August 22
Japan	Montevideo Maru	August 23
Shanghai and Amoy	Taiwan	August 23
Straits	Achilles	August 24
Manila	Pres. Cleveland	August 24
Calcutta and Straits	Sulung	August 24
Straits	Cremor	August 25
Shanghai	Hector	August 25

OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time.
	Friday.	
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Hing	Fri., Aug. 21, 4 p.m.
Manila, "Straits and Europe via Gneisenau"	Gneisenau	Fri., Aug. 21, 4 p.m.
Marseilles and Parcels only for Germany via Hamburg	Reg.	Aug. 21, 3.45 p.m.
(Due Marseilles, 13th September)	Letters	Aug. 21, 4.30 p.m.
	Saturday.	
Shanghai and "Europe via Siberia"	Conte Verde	Sat., Aug. 22, 9.30 a.m.
Letters for "K.I.M. Service"—due Kaiser-I-Hind	Kaiser-I-Hind	Sat., Aug. 22, 10 a.m.
Amsterdam, 31st August.	G. P. O. & K. P. O.	Reg., Aug. 22, 9.30 a.m.
	Letters	Aug. 22, 10 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, E. and S. Africa	*S. Kaiser-I-Hind	Sat., Aug. 22, 5 p.m.
Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe (Due Marseilles, 18th September)	Parcels	Aug. 21, 5 p.m.
	Reg.	Aug. 22, 10 a.m.
Haliphong	Canton	Sat., Aug. 22, 2 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Jefferson	Sat., Aug. 22, 4.30 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, E. and S. Africa	S. Montevideo Maru	Sat., Aug. 22, 5 p.m.
	Sunday.	
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canton Maru	Sun., Aug. 23, 9 a.m.
Holhow	Mulnm	Sun., Aug. 23, 9 a.m.
	Monday.	
Fort Bayard, Holhow, Pakhol and G. G. Paul Doumer	Haliphong	Mon., Aug. 24, 1 p.m.
Amoy	Sinking	Mon., Aug. 24, 3.30 p.m.
	*Superscribed consignment only.	

SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local share quotations issued this morning.	Santa Rosa, 13½ cts. n.
	Lands, Hotels, etc.
	H. & S. Hotels, \$5.10 b.
	H. K. Lands, \$3½ b.
	H.K. Lands, 4% Deben.
	\$100 n.
	Shanghai, Sh. \$13 n.
	Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$10 n.
	Humphries, \$9 n.
	H. K. Realities, \$4.25 b.
	Chinese Estates, \$80 n.
	China Realities, Sh. \$4 n.
	China Debentures, Sh. \$60 n.
	Public Utilities.
	H. K. Tramways, \$12.10 b.
	Peak Tram, (old), \$0½ b.
	Peak Tram, (new), \$2½ n.
	Star Ferries, \$87 b.
	Yauwatt Ferries, (old), \$20½ b.
	China Light, \$12 b.
	China Light, (new), \$8.70 b.
	H. K. Electric, \$53½ b.
	Macao Electric, \$20 n.
	Sandakan Lights, \$8.30 n.
	Telephone (old), \$27½ b.
	Telephone (new), \$9 n.
	China Buses, Sh. \$11½ n.
	Singapore Traction, 29/- n.
	Singapore Prof 28/- n.
	Industrials.
	Malabon Sugars, \$9½ n.
	Cald Macg. (old), Sh. \$19½ n.
	Cald Macg. (new), Sh. \$15 n.
	Canton Ice, \$2 n.
	Cement, \$3.70 b.
	H. K. Ropes, \$3½ b.
	Stores, etc.
	Dairy Farm, \$21½ b.
	Watson, \$3.60 b.
	Lane Crawfords, \$6½ n.
	Mackintosh, \$5 n.
	Sincere, \$3 n.
	Wm. Powells, 40 cts. n.
	Wing On (H.K.), \$50 n.
	Cotton Mills.
	Ewe Cottons, Sh. \$7½ n.
	S'hai Cottons, (old), Sh. \$70 n.
	S'hai Cottons, (new), Sh. \$39½ n.
	Zong Sing, \$18 n.
	Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$25 n.
	Miscellaneous.
	H.K. Entertainments, \$2.90 n.
	S. C. Enterprize, \$1.35 n.
	Macao "Greyhounds", \$2 n.
	Constructions (old), \$1½ n.
	Constructions (new), 30 cts. b.
	Vibro Piling, \$2 b. and at.
	Ch. Govt. 5% 1925 G.Bds.
	92½ b.
	H. K. Govt. 4% Loan 6% p.m.
	H.K. Govt. 3½% Loan par. b.
	Wallace Harpers, \$4 n.

TYPHOON PHOTOGRAPHS

COPIES OF PHOTOGRAPHS OF TYPHOON DAMAGE SCENES, RECENTLY PUBLISHED IN THE "SOUTH CHINA MORNING POST" AND "THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH", MAY BE OBTAINED AT THE OFFICE OF THE "S. C. M. POST".

15 ARABS KILLED IN FIGHT

BRITISH MILITARY
POST ATTACKED

NO CASUALTIES
SUFFERED.

Jerusalem, Aug. 20.

Fifteen Arabs are believed to have been killed in an affray which lasted all day between an armed Arab gang and military detachments near Hadera, in Central Palestine.

The conflict started with an attack on a military patrol, whereupon reinforcements, including aircraft, were sent to the scene of the fighting. The troops suffered no casualties.

A Jewish taxi-driver was shot and killed from an orange grove near Hadera, a day before the outbreak.

UNEMPLOYED AGED RANGE

WHAT LATEST
RETURNS SHOW

London, Aug. 20.

A half-yearly analysis of the age distribution of unemployed men and women, made by the Labour Ministry, shows that while there was a reduction between May, 1935, and last May in the numbers unemployed in nearly every age group, the reduction was greater proportionally among persons under 35 years. Men under 35 were 44.9 per cent. of all unemployed men in May, 1935, but this May the percentage had fallen to 41.6.—British Wireless.

U.S. VETERAN PASSES

San Antonio, Aug. 20.

Col. Millard F. Waltz, 79, Chief of Staff of the expedition to Cuba and who served in the Philippines campaign, died to-day.—United Press.

ZINOVIEFF EXPOSES PLOTTERS

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regarding the speeding up of terrorist action against Stalin. Replying to the Attorney-General, Kamenoff confirmed his leading role in the organization of the assassination of M. Kiroff in Petrograd. The attempt to kill Stalin was to be made last May Day, during the demonstration in the Red Square.

STUDENTS INVOLVED

According to the testimony of Gidberg, another of the accused, simultaneous attempts were to be made on the lives of other Soviet leaders in Leningrad (Petrograd) and Kiev. He had prepared a bomb and had arranged with student supporters of Trotsky to throw it when they were marching past Stalin in Red Square. A last-minute arrest prevented the plot being carried out.

The Attorney-General produced what he described as a Trotsky document, containing the words, "Stalin must be destroyed."

The prosecution is making determined efforts to prove there is a link between Nazi Germany and the alleged Trotsky-Zinovieff plot.—Reuter.

SEALED OWN FATE

Moscow, Aug. 21.

It is believed that Zinovieff and Kamenoff have sealed their fate by boasting of the plot to assassinate Stalin and convert Russia, through terrorism, into a "Trotsky-Fascist" regime.

Zinovieff admitted giving orders to kill Stalin.

Rengold said a man named I. P. Bakayev was to kill Stalin's murderer, Bogden, after the Dictator was slain. However, Bogden committed suicide due to his unwillingness to participate in the plot.

The prosecutor asked if Kamenoff had participated in the 1934 assassination of Sergei Kirov, for which 115 men and two women were executed and more than 100 imprisoned. Kamenoff said he had discussed Kirov's assassination with the Trotsky bloc in 1932, and in addition implicated Alex Rykov, Commissar of Posts and Telegraphs. He said he had believed Karl Radek, editor of Izvestia, would be sympathetic.

Zinovieff denied his and Trotsky's bloc ever split. Both were antagonistic to the Communist party. Meanwhile, it is stated that thirteen additional persons, including a woman, Safonova Pavlovich, are held for separate examination and probably will be tried on assassination plot charges.—United Press.

"DEVILISH" TRAFFIC IN HEROIN

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"I came from Shek Lung and worked as an amah for them." After Sun Chiu-ki, a photographer of the Pin Pin Studio, had deposed to have taken photographs of the room, Mr. Taylor and Revenue Officer Grimmitt testified to having raided the premises and found the articles which formed the subject of the charge.

PRISONERS' STATEMENTS

Making a statement from the dock, the first prisoner said he was only an employee, but if the Court found him guilty, he hoped His Lordship would deal with him leniently. The second accused said he went to the premises to visit a friend. The third prisoner remarked that she was a native of Shek Lung and was employed on the premises as an amah for three dollars a month. Being a country-woman, she was rather curious of the pill and went inside the room to see them. Before she could warm up the seat, she was arrested. (Laughter).

In the course of his summing-up, His Lordship said the case for the Crown had not been contradicted by the accused, referring to the statement of the third prisoner, His Lordship said she had pleaded guilty with a clear conscience and her sex's chief frailty—curiosity.

Without retiring, the jury found all the accused guilty, and His Lordship passed sentences as stated.

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Chicago, Aug. 15.

HOW many hairs on a person's head?

A Chicago specialist—who says he has studied 15,000 adult heads of hair—submits the following answers:

If you are a blonde, 140,000 to 150,000.

If you are a brunette, 100,000 to 110,000.

And if you are red-haired, from 40,000 to 55,000.—United Press.

A dinner dance will be held on the open roof of Repulse Bay Hotel weather permitting, and at Repulse Bay Hotel in the event of bad weather, on Saturday, August 22, at 9 p.m., and the usual tea dance will be held on Sunday, at 5 p.m., at Repulse Bay Hotel.

MOTOR ACCIDENT NOT REPORTED

OFFICER FINED ON
TWO COUNTS

Lieut. Kettle, driver of private car No. 1741, was summoned before Mr. Macfarlane at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning for (a) failing to report an accident to the nearest Police Station on July 19 and (b) failing to carry lamps showing a white light at the front at 8 p.m. on the same day at Tai Po Road.

Defendant admitted the summonses. Traffic Sergeant McAlardy stated that Lieut. Kettle was driving his car on the Tai Po Road from Tai Po on July 19 when near the Kowloon Reservoir he struck a Chinese man, causing slight injuries to him. The man was unknown and could not be traced. Three days after the accident, defendant made a report at Mongkok Police Station. Regarding the second summons, there were no lights at all.

Asked by the Magistrate why he had delayed reporting the accident, defendant said he was going back to his residence in the colony that night. He could not see very well and the man came out by a corner. Defendant put on his brakes but bumped into the Chinese. He got out of the car and asked the man if he was badly hurt, but the man only sat by the roadside rubbing his legs. Defendant lifted the man into his car, but he seemed to be all right and went on his way.

Defendant did not think anything more of the incident until a few days later, when he mentioned to a friend of his residing in the colony that he had had a slight accident. The friend immediately advised him to report, and he did so. Defendant's lights were on at 7:30 p.m. and they all went out a little later. He found afterwards that the side and tail lights had fused and the headlights had short circuited. The only way he could get back to Kowloon was to proceed slowly, sounding his horn to warn people of his approach. When the lights went out, he was still about 10 miles from Kowloon, but it was not a great distance.

Acting Traffic Sub-Inspector A. R. Brittain said that defendant had taken out a driving licence only two days before the accident. He added that sunset on July 19 was 7:10 p.m. The Magistrate said it was for defendant's fault that the accident straight away. Complications might set in. He realised that the summonses would never have been taken out if defendant had not made a report, but he had to take a serious view of the offence.

Defendant was fined a total of \$20 on the two summonses.

OTHER CASES

Harry Turner, of the Hume Pipe Company, was summoned for driving private car No. 539 through the controlled area at Tsun Wan at a speed of 30 miles per hour on July 25. He pleaded guilty.

Acting Traffic Sub-Inspector Brittain said that, at the time, 5:20 p.m., there were not many people on the road. The offence was committed just by the end of the controlled area near the Shing Mun Road. Defendant had been driving in the Colony for nearly a year.

His Worship fined defendant \$10. A fine of \$7 was imposed on A. S. Barker, who admitted a summons of having driven a push bicycle without having full control at Castle Peak Road on July 24. A. S. L. Brittain said that defendant was hanging on to the side of lorry No. 242.

QUEEN'S ROAD INCIDENT
G. Hill, driver of private car No. 2502, was summoned before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy this morning, for having driven his car with undue care and caution along Queen's Road East on August 9. Defendant admitted the summons. Traffic Sergeant Bethel said that on August 9, defendant was driving along Queen's Road from west to east, and when near the Naval Dock Yard saw another car coming from the opposite direction with lights dimmed. The road was slightly wet, and defendant stated that he might have been dazzled by the other car's light on the road. About 50 yards from the Naval Dock Yard, the Hongkong Telephone Co. were repairing wires, and the road was up, leaving room enough for cars to pass. There was a notice board requesting motorists to drive carefully, but defendant apparently did not see this sign, as he knocked the board down, at the same time causing injuries to two coolies of the Company, who received treatment in hospital for two or three days. The defendant had compensated the coolies and also paid cost of damages to the Telephone Company. Defendant was fined \$30.

Son Who Murdered Mother Benefits Under Her Will

BY the will of Mrs. Lavinia B. Ball, of St. Helen's-road, Bootertown, Co. Dublin, who died on or about February 17, 1936, leaving personal estate in the Irish Free State of £1,030 lbs. 7d., her share of her father's estate and the residue of her own estate goes on trust to her sons, John C. Preston Ball, of Marine Park, West Kirby, Cheshire, and Edward Francis Alan Ball, upon their attaining 25 years of age.

Edward was recently found guilty of his mother's murder, but insane. He is twenty.

The insanity finding prevents him from being debarred from benefit. Mr. John R. Morris, Far Eastern manager for the United Press Association, arrived in Canton yesterday by plane from Shanghai. After a few days there he will come to Hongkong.

JAPAN LIKELY TO PRESS FOR CONCESSIONS

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not to refer economic questions to Nanking.

Smuggling Curable

Mr. Kawagoe admitted the smuggling in North China, but added that it was curable through the revision of "improper" tariffs.

Meanwhile, from Kuling, where the Executive Yuan is meeting, word of exemption from the new Chinese income tax by foreign diplomatic officials and foreign nationals of less than one year's residence, whose income does not originate in China, has been received. However, these exemptions apply only to diplomats and nationals of countries extending the same treatment to Chinese abroad.

The Executive Yuan also voted to collect income tax on salaries and other remunerations of public functionaries and on the interest derived from various Government bonds and savings deposits, effective October 1. Other collections start January 1, 1937.—United Press.

GOVERNOR IS INDISPOSED

It will be learned with regret that His Excellency the Governor, Sir Andrew Caldecott, is suffering from shingles on the right temple.

His Excellency is well enough to keep official and public engagements, but, owing to facial disfigurement and discomfort, he has been advised to cancel all large social functions until further notice.

The following forthcoming weddings are announced: Mr. Percival Leonard Standley, Salvation Army Officer, c/o The Salvation Army, 2 Embankment Road, Kowloon, and Miss Margaret Mabel Thompson, of the same address; Mr. Arthur Valentine Wong, clerk, residing at 40 Morrison Hill Road, and Miss Marjorie Quann Lock Lee, of 72 Shantung Street, Mongkok.

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London, Aug. 20.

An important stage in the revival of the British flax industry was marked to-day by the starting up of electrically-driven machinery of the latest design in the de-seeding section of new flax mills at Billinge, in Northamptonshire.

The mills, which will be in full operation by September 7, are part of a new industrial venture associated with a carefully-planned agricultural experiment in the same county. Six hundred acres have been sown with pedigree seed, and, despite adverse weather, a crop of exceptionally good quality has been harvested.—British Wireless.

MOTOR WIND SCREENS

MUST BE SAFETY
GLASS

London, Aug. 20.

In January next, regulations issued by the Ministry of Transport will make compulsory the use of safety glass wind screens on motor vehicles.

All vehicles manufactured after 1931 are fitted with windcreens of the safety type, but it is estimated that some 600,000 private and about 200,000 commercial vehicles at present on the road have ordinary glass screens and that probably 500,000 of these will be continued on the road by their owners, who will have to have new windcreens fitted before the end of the year.—British Wireless.

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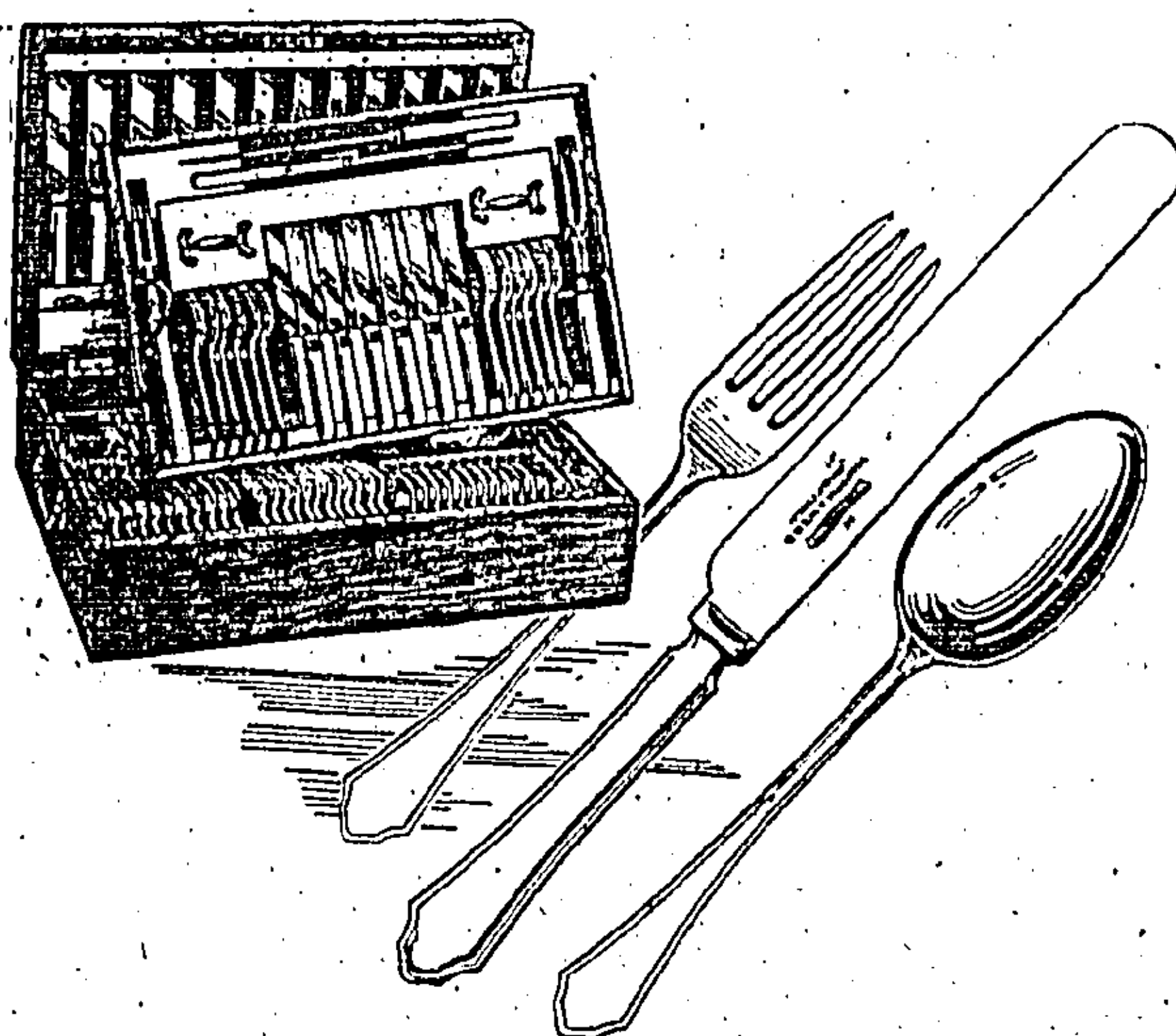
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WORLD WAR FEARS AND HOPES

Will there be another world war? Despite the almost universal desire to the contrary, there undoubtedly exists a widespread fear that war will somehow break out sooner or later in Europe. Happily, however, there are factors which suggest that such a catastrophe will be avoided. Signor Mussolini, who is fully conscious of the realities of the situation, has just hazarded the view that a European upheaval would pave the way to Communism when the nations involved became exhausted. That possibility will doubtless be a restraining element tending to make ambitious statesmen or militarists hesitate before committing any act which would precipitate a world upheaval. It is of interest to note that much the same note as that struck by Mussolini was recently sounded by Dr. Benes, the President of Czechoslovakia, when he asserted that he had a strange feeling that war would not break out. The reason he gave was that any nation which unleashed a European war would never attain its ends, for such a conflict would lead first to general chaos and would only be the introduction to another and more disastrous war, without issue or end. Such a grave responsibility, Dr. Benes thinks, no statesman could overlook; hence his belief that peace will be saved and some agreement reached in concert between the Powers interested in the preservation of European concord and civilisation. This view, coming from a man of the calibre of Dr. Benes, is worthy of notice. Dr. Benes has been Minister of Foreign Affairs for nearly twenty years; he has been described as being as efficient as a dynamo, as one who has no cant, but talks facts; who sees Europe as a whole, and whose dearest ambition is to organise an effective United States of Europe. A statesman of his authority and foresight does not choose his words lightly; his opinion should carry much weight. If all the leaders in Europe were of his frame of mind, there would never be any fear of another world upheaval. Trouble, should it come, might emanate from "statesmen" who are not statesmen, who may blunder into catastrophe because they have not the first quality of true statesmanship, foresight, or who are so eaten up with ambition that their first thought

is their own glory. Yet, when stock is taken of all the factors, there is much ground for thinking that the worst will not happen. Humanity in general will certainly agree with Mr. Baldwin, who, when addressing the Canadian pilgrims in London recently, declared: "If Europe and the world can find no other way of settling disputes than the way of war—even now, when we are still finding and burying the bodies of those who fell twenty years ago—the world deserves to perish."

Two agreements were reached last month which appear to be based respectively on two fundamentally opposed principles. In the first place there was the agreement between Germany, Austria and Italy. On the surface this agreement should do much for the appeasement of Europe as it means the ending of a feud between two Great Powers. But the fact that it has not been hailed with a sigh of relief is to be traced to the fact that the two Great Powers concerned had both, acting independently, successfully defied the forces of Law and Order. Consequently Europe is asking anxiously whether the new agreement presages a still more successful, because more powerful, defiance of the principles of Law and Order.

The other agreement is a triumph for the forces of Law and Order, and of peaceful change by international agreement. For this reason the agreement in regard to the Dardanelles has been hailed with a sigh of relief. It is not so much the contents of the agreement that have contributed to the general satisfaction as the fact that the agreement has not been the outcome of resort to force or the tearing up of treaties but of reliance on the goodwill of nations to effect a peaceful change in the existing World Order.

The nations have got to make up their mind which of these two principles shall dominate the policy of Europe. If they concede anything to the successful aggressor and condone every breach of a treaty, then anarchy, followed logically by war, is the prospect before us. If on the other hand, they stand firm for the principle of the sacredness of international obligations—in other words if they stand firm by the principles of the League—then there is still hope that the dreaded "next war" may be averted.

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NOTES OF THE DAY

The longer the struggle lasts the more difficult it will be for people in democratic countries to maintain that attitude of detachment which is now maintained by those in control of British foreign policy.

Should the Spanish Government defeat the rebels of the Right it will inevitably have to face a long and dangerous struggle with its own Left wing.

The personality of Senor Azana, the President of the Republic, may be strong enough to keep in existence a moderate government, but there is a good deal of doubt implied in the word "may."

How can the Five-Power conference to bring security to Western Europe go forward according to plan if democracy and dictatorship, or even dic-

WHAT THE SPANISH WAR MEANS

"... this conflict involves you, me, and the man down the road. It may divide Europe into two sections hostile beyond all possibility of reconciliation..."

By

Vernon Bartlett

LEON TROTSKY once said that the next country to go Communist would be Spain. It is obvious that before their respective revolutions Russia more nearly resembled that country than any other in Europe.

They both had a peasantry that was miserably illiterate and poor; a Christianity that was often rather a superstition than a religion, and enormous estates that were run for the benefit of absentee landlords to the detriment of the men who worked on them.

But one had not expected events to go so far or so quickly to prove Trotsky right.

People are always ready in political strife to see all the heroism on the side with which they sympathise and all the atrocities on the other. They seldom pause to realise that all warfare—and civil warfare most of all, since it is the least natural—is a filthy business, however magnificent the ideals for which it is fought.

Sixteen years ago I was with the Red Guards in Essen after the famous Kapp Putsch, and by crossing the firing line each

It is inconceivable that we should be so decidedly taking sides unless we realised that this is no ordinary rebellion.

We know that the Spain which will emerge from the smoke of battle will be a very different country from the Spain of yesterday. In its transformation it may arouse among Britons a controversy as bitter as that which used to wage round the mention of Russia.

It may incline many good English Liberals towards Communism and a few towards Fascism.

The longer the struggle lasts the more difficult it will be for people in democratic countries to maintain that attitude of detachment which is now maintained by those in control of British foreign policy.

Should the Spanish Government defeat the rebels of the Right it will inevitably have to face a long and dangerous struggle with its own Left wing.

The personality of Senor Azana, the President of the Republic, may be strong enough to keep in existence a moderate government, but there is a good deal of doubt implied in the word "may."

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Should the rebels win, there will be a period of brutal reaction far exceeding the expectations of those nice British Conservatives who have met and liked Spanish monarchists and who know nothing of the misery of those immense devastated agricultural areas for which they are so gravely responsible.

British Conservatives would have as little in common with a victorious reaction in Madrid as British Liberals would have with a victorious Communist government.

If, as is greatly to be feared, this struggle drags on, Herr Hitler and Signor Mussolini will inevitably be drawn more and more to support the rebels, and M. Leon Blum to support the government. This must happen however scrupulous they may be at present, in withholding help.

Germany would be genuinely frightened of Communism at each extremity of Europe. France would be even more frightened of a Fascist dictatorship beyond her Western as well as her Eastern frontier.

Fear is so much the father of folly that one cannot expect these two countries for long to refrain from interference, open or secret.

And, indeed, why should they? Spain is the unfortunate battlefield of two doctrines which are apparently so incompatible that people who hold them scoff at the idea of lasting peace until the rival has been wiped off the face of the earth.

How can the Five-Power conference to bring security to Western Europe go forward according to plan if democracy and dictatorship, or even dic-

tatorships of the Right and of the Left, are fighting it out on the arid plains of the Spanish Peninsula?

The struggle is so important, apart from all the bloodshed it involves, because it will force us to answer questions which we have hitherto done our best to avoid. Is peace, in fact, impossible in a world which contains Democracy, National Socialism and Russian Communism?

If they are so incompatible, will our British conceptions of personal liberty survive, or shall we find ourselves forced in the end to choose one of these other doctrines which have a more obvious appeal to youth because, although they limit a freedom we have learnt to treasure, they are showing themselves so much more positive and dynamic than democracy?

Or is peace, in fact, possible even between peoples whose governments so differ as do those of Russia or Germany? Can the knowledge that war is such a disastrous way of furthering a creed overcome the proselytising desire to impose it on others by every method and at all costs?

There are still many of us who hold that peace is the most important of all human requirements, since war of any kind encourages the suppression of liberty, tolerance and those other qualities of civilisation. And that, in consequence, it is an imperative duty to swallow a good deal of our pride, to be patient about a good many affronts, to accept even temporary injustices in order to reach some arrangements that may be binding with nations whose governments we despise and distrust, arrangements which are so obviously fair and just that the wickedest government would hesitate to incur universal hostility by breaking them.

And, if we are right in this belief, are we to allow this dispute to drag on, to impoverish Spain for generations, and to accentuate the divergencies between the political conceptions of people hundreds of miles away from the Spanish frontier until talk of peace conferences and international reconciliation becomes a mockery of the hopes of mankind?

It is of no use to pretend that this conflict is merely a domestic one. It is a conflict which involves you, me and the man down the road. It may divide Europe into two sections hostile beyond all possibility of reconciliation.

But it might build a bridge between them. There is something to be said for strict neutrality. There is more to be said for intervention on the side of a legally-constituted government against the threat of a military tyranny of the worst possible type.

There is still more to be said for an attempt to get the five Powers who are supposed to collaborate in pacifying Western Europe to make a joint appeal for a truce in Spain before the bitterness and misery of her people poison the atmosphere of Europe in which a civilised man already finds it so difficult to breathe.

SIDE GLANCES By George Clark



"She's always telling people that we went to school together, but she never mentions that she was the teacher."

"MY IDEAL MARRIAGE—MY OWN"

Marlene Dietrich

Star Besieged By Frantic Crowds

(By A Special Correspondent)

Paris, Aug. 10. AFTER being mobbed by one of the largest and most frenzied crowds that have ever welcomed a film star to Paris, Miss Marlene Dietrich, the blonde idol of millions of screen fans, told me to-night of her plans for her London visit and for the education there of her daughter Maria, aged 11.

We sat in her suite in a small, extremely quiet hotel away from the fashionable thoroughfares of Paris, and as we talked Maria, a tall, fair-haired, vivacious girl entered and shyly shook hands.

"I shall go to England, probably next week—it depends on when I can see Mr. Korda to arrange about my film," Miss Dietrich told me. "We hope that Maria will be able to start her English schooling, near London, after the summer holidays in September."

"I expect to stay in England throughout September to make my film with Robert Donat, based on James Hilton's book 'Without Armour', then perhaps I shall stay a short while on the French Riviera, and afterwards go back to make three films for Paramount, one produced by Ernest Lubitsch, and the other with Frank Lloyd."

MY MARRIAGE

"Everyone asks me if I am really happy in my married life," she went on (Miss Dietrich's husband is Herr Rudolph Sieber). "Of course I am. These 12 years since my marriage have been ideal—but, of course, we must not claim to be the happiest married couple. Married couples can never be happy if they are continually parted."

"I see no reason why I shall not work again with von Sternberg," said Miss Dietrich, referring to her supposed professional separation from the man who directed many of her Hollywood pictures. "There is no separation really."

"I must have rest now," she said. A slight huskiness enhanced the charm of her smooth, perfectly controlled voice, which has thrilled filmgoers all round the world.

HEMMED IN BY CROWD

At the Gare St. Lazare, the terminus where Miss Dietrich arrived from Le Havre en route from Hollywood, astonishing scenes marked the entrance of the boat train.

A struggling crowd rushed along the platform and surrounded Miss Dietrich as she stepped from the coach.

At one period her husband and a friend had to prevent her from being crushed by the crowd.

It took her a full 20 minutes to struggle along the few feet of platform towards a pre-arranged exit through the station yard.

As her car drove scores of frantic women claved at the windows and jumped on to the running-board, eager to see the famous star.

WOLFRAM PRICE ADVANCES

AMALGAMATION IN SOUTH CHINA?

London, Aug. 20. The price of wolfram advanced two shillings to a nominal price of twenty-seven shillings and twenty-eight shillings on news that negotiations are at present progressing for an amalgamation of South China's two wolfram syndicates.

Pending the outcome of the discussions, both holders and consumers are reluctant to transact business.—Reuter.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

THE GREAT MASS OF THE WORKERS WANT NOTHING BUT BREAD AND GAMES. THEY HAVE NO UNDERSTANDING OF ANY SORT OF IDEAL.—Hitler.

A 43-year-old coolie, Fung Pin, was taken to the Government Civil Hospital after he had been knocked down by lorry No. 4432 in the Queen Mary Hospital district, Pokfulam, yesterday.

Pleaded guilty to a charge of having taken \$5 from a fruit-stall in the Central Market, Chan Chi, 24, unemployed was sentenced to two months' hard labour by Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy this morning.

Choi Tin, 25, unemployed, was charged before Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy this morning with having carnal knowledge of a girl named Leung Hi, aged seven, on August 15, at No. 3 Lyndhurst Terrace. As it was a case for committal, Sub-Inspector Flattery asked for a remand. The case will be heard on August 27 at 2.30 p.m.

Fung Yu-sin, 10, unemployed, appeared before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy this morning charged with the theft of a St. John Ambulance uniform, a pair of boots and one belt, the property of Chau Po, 25, godown keeper, of No. 111 Lockhart Road. Det.-Sgt. Downman said in June the defendant had on one occasion asked the complainant to lend him the uniform and the other articles but defendant had refused, and the theft might have been committed out of spite. Mr. Schofield said that he would bind defendant over and remanded him for 24 hours to find two sureties.

Pai Kwai, 35, was injured at his house, 14 First Street, when he fell down the stairs. On his admission to the Government Civil Hospital, his condition was reported serious.

Capt. A. P. Trimble, M.B., R.A.M.C., who was serving on the China Command until his departure home last year, has been promoted Divisional Adjutant, R.A.M.C., 8th South Midland Division.

A widow, Sin Yee, was bitten yesterday by a dog belonging to Dr. E. M. Gordon, No. 1 Cameron Buildings. She was taken to the Government Civil Hospital, and the dog to Ma Tau Kok for observation.

Lai Hoi, aged 45, unemployed, pleaded guilty to a charge of trespassing on the police revolver range at King's Park yesterday, when he appeared before Mr. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning. Inspector R. Shannon said defendant went about the range picking up lead and was doing a lot of damage there. Defendant was fined \$9, or ten days' imprisonment.

Tse Wu-wai, 17, unemployed, appeared on remand before Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy this morning charged with the theft of a jacket containing \$6.10 in Hongkong money and \$2.65 in Canton money, also a pair of spectacles and a rolled gold chain from Ng Yuk-keung, on board the S.S. Sai On, at the Tung On wharf on Tuesday. Defendant admitted stealing the articles, and led the detective to the complainant who was still unaware of his loss. He was sentenced to six weeks' hard labour.

MOVIE DEB



Kay Stewart, young socialite granddaughter of James Stewart, oil magnate, is the latest deb to join the movie. She will have a role in Rex Beach's "The Barrier," when it is filmed.

"CONFIDENCE TRICKS" IN OSTEOPATHY

Surgeon's Attack On "Stunt" DRINK AND THE CAR DRIVER

Osteopaths will be up in arms at the stinging criticism of their calling by Mr. A. S. Blundell Bankart, the orthopaedic surgeon of Middlesex Hospital.

Here are some of the things he said at the British Medical Association conference at Oxford. "Osteopathy is an American stunt based on the unsupported assertion that practically all diseases are due to imaginary displacements of the spine."

"It has been investigated up to the hilt, and it has been found wanting. 'It is up to all orthopaedic surgeons to see that these confidence tricks are exposed, and to ensure that the proper use of manipulation in surgery is taught and practised in all our teaching hospitals.'

"SHIFTED HIS GROUND" "Do not let anyone deceive you by explaining that the modern osteopath is a more enlightened fellow who has become, in fact, a manipulative surgeon. This is not true," said Mr. Bankart.

"It is true that the osteopath has shifted his ground again and again as one after another of his claims has been shown to be absolutely devoid of any scientific foundation. 'In treatment, use the osteopath has shifted or extended his ground in that he may employ local treatment in addition to, but not as a substitute for, the spinal adjustments which are the essential basis of osteopathic treatment.'

"I need hardly remind you of the monopoly of manipulative surgery for osteopaths in this country. 'Osteopathy has nothing whatever to do with manipulative surgery.'

Mr. Bankart said that there was little to choose between osteopathy and chiropractic. Its rival venture proved even more successful than its prototype, judging from the fact that there were far more chiropractors than osteopaths in the United States and Canada.

"How many of you who are attached to large hospitals have any organised arrangements for dealing with the large number of cases which require manipulation in ordinary orthopaedic practice?" Mr. Bankart asked.

FLAT FEET THEORY

People did not suffer from flat feet, but more from inability to flatten their feet. "The great majority of civilised people have acquired some restriction of the natural mobility of their feet so that they cannot flatten them without meeting with the resistance of the soft parts. When the flattening foot meets with this resistance it is strained, and the condition is painful."

Dr. W. J. Turrell (Oxford), discussing electro-therapy, said: "Under existing conditions electrical treatment is prescribed by medical practitioners who have no knowledge of the remedy that they are prescribing, and the treatment is administered by those who are entirely ignorant of the nature of the disease which they are treating."

Professor Sir Joseph Barcroft, at a temperance breakfast at which delegates were guests, said that all drinking people would agree that alcohol, even in moderate quantities, had a definitely adverse effect on drivers. This was the conclusion reached by the B.M.A. committee appointed to study the subject. One member of the committee, he said, took the view that alcohol might be regarded as beneficial to the tired man, and a great many doctors agreed.

"But the fact is, quite frankly, that we do not know," Sir Joseph said. "The amount of research that is being done has only been done in relation to the average person and not to the tired man. It would seem to me well to go into this matter more thoroughly."

McMAHON AS A "SOCIAL REFORMER"

AGED FATHER IN TEARS

JEROME BANNIGAN, alias Gorge Andrew McMahon, is an Irishman whose home is in Glasgow. He is thirty-two years old. His father, with whom he has not communicated for ten years, is eighty years old, fast going blind. His brother, a priest of the Roman Catholic Church, is now in Dublin.

A friend of Bannigan said: "Bannigan, whom I knew as McMahon, was associated with Mrs. Violet Van der Elst in her campaign against capital punishment."

"He claims to have helped her to write a book. He assisted her in a general election campaign. He was married, I believe, in Scotland. He calls himself a social reformer."

Last April McMahon claimed £67 10s. from Mrs. Van der Elst at Marylebone County Court. He alleged that she instructed him to hire cars during her general election campaign at Putney. The claim was dismissed with costs.

Father's Grief

In February McMahon gave evidence in the King's Division in a case in which Mrs. Van der Elst was concerned.

He stated then that he helped Mrs. Van der Elst to write a book against capital punishment. A Glasgow reporter wrote: Bannigan's father heard the news with bowed head and tear-filled eyes. He buried his face in his hands.

"It is too terrible," he said. "My drinking habits may have ruined his head. He requires medical examination."

"His brother Patrick, a priest, did all he could for Jerome. Gradually he drifted from home, and we lost sight of him entirely. I am proud to say, to God that the court authorities have him medically examined before dealing with him."

"Help me," he whispered, "to keep this from his mother. She is only now able to get about after thirteen weeks in bed. The shock might kill her."

The Bannigan family are natives of Cookstown, Tyrone.

A Way They Have in Auchtermuchty

From A Special Correspondent

AUCHTERMUCHTY for the Auchtermuchteans, a tariff wall round the town and no more dumping on early-closing day from the foreigners at Strathgilly, Pittoull, Collesie and the like—such are to be the slogans on that Royal and ancient burgh in the north-west of Fifehire.

The Auchtermuchty Town Council is seeking to revive a 400-year-old local law to give protection to its 1,200 inhabitants.

"The cause of the trouble is Tuesday afternoons," explained the Dean of the Guild, Councillor William Dick. "On Tuesday afternoons here are early-closing days, and directly the local shops shut, carts drive in from the towns round about, selling things to the people of Auchtermuchty."

"That's a grave loss to the shopkeepers of Auchtermuchty, and now it's getting worse. The carts come in from the other towns, and sell their things a wee bit cheaper than the shops."

"And I'm sorry to say the people of Auchtermuchty are taking advantage of it, and buying up on Tuesday afternoons things they will need for the week."

AN OLD LAW

"But there's an old law in Auchtermuchty," he continued with a smile. "That we are going to revive, to put a stop to it. 'That old law, a very old custom in Auchtermuchty, puts a toll of twopenny on each cart that comes into the town, selling things. It's a very good law, that, more than 400 years old, and when I was a boy, 60 years ago, I can remember it was still in force then.'

"If we revive that old law, every cart that comes selling into Auchtermuchty on a Tuesday afternoon will have to pay the town a toll of twopenny. That'll stop it."

"This twopenny tariff," I asked, "is it designed to make the foreign carts stay out, or pay to come in?"

"In Scotland," replied the Dean of the Guild, "it will keep them out. Twopenny a cart, every Tuesday, should do the trick nicely."

Lee Chun, 10, shop foki, was charged before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy this morning with having assaulted Hung Ngau, 33, P.W.D. coolie at San Chuen, Tai Hang, on August 19, at 9 p.m. Acting Sub-Inspector Madgwick stated that the men quarrelled over a debt, and they both lost their tempers. Defendant inflicted a wound across the complainant's stomach with an iron instrument. It was only a scratch, but if the wound had been deeper, the complainant would be in a serious condition. Defendant was sentenced to a fine of \$20, or one month, and was bound over in the sum of \$50 to keep peace for one year.

RADIO BROADCAST

Jazz Piano Recital By Doreen Ma
BOOK REVIEWS BY A. D.

From Z. B. W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 kilocycles):
4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme.
7-11 p.m. European Programme.
7 p.m. Excerpts from Light Opera and Musical Comedy.
Tom Jones—Selection (German); Songs—To shield the husband's honour—Heiter (Offenbach); O Divine Couple—Helen (Offenbach); Friedel Schuster (Soprano); Selection—Toad of Toad Hall (Fraser-Simson); Song—If I am dreaming—"The Dubarry"—Heddie Nash (Tenor); The Shepherd's Song—"Helen"—Heddie Nash (Tenor).
7.30 p.m. A Relay from Davenport.

Vol. Rosing and his Orchestra.
7.50 p.m. From the Studio.
"Book Reviews" by A. D.
8 p.m. Local: Time Signal, Weather Report, Stock Quotations and announcements.
8.05 p.m. "Liebestraume" (Liszt).
8.10 p.m. From the Studio.
A Recital by Bruce Lewis (Violin) and Elvise Yuen (Soprano).

Programme.
1. Violin Solo—Cavatina... Raft. Minuet... Beethoven; 2. Songs—Freschi lughi, prati autenti... Donaudy. No. non mi guardate... Donaudy; 3. Violin Solo—Waltz in A Major... Brahms. Andantino... Martin; 4. Songs—Spirate pur, spirate... Donaudy. Amor mi tiene in pugno... Donaudy.

8.35 p.m. Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra.
Toccata and Fugue (Bach); Tone Poem "Finlandia" (Sibelius); Hungarian Rhapsody No. 2 (Liszt).
9 p.m. News and announcements from London.

9.20 p.m. Variety.
Accordeon Solo—A Little Gypsy Tea Room... George Scott Wood; Song—This is the kiss of romance... Lucienne Boyer; Instrumental—Sweet Hawaiian Maid... Andy Long and his Islanders; Song—Love's Last word is spoken... Gracie Fields; Vocal—Twilight on the Trail... The Hill Billies; Organ Solo—Grasshoppers' Dance... Sydney Gustard.

9.40 p.m. From the Studio.
A Jazz Piano Recital by Doreen Ma.

Programme.
1. Medley; 2. Poor Butterfly; 3. Contrasts; 4. We're in a Panic; 5. My Love.

10 p.m. Big Ben from London. Light Orchestral Selections.
Broken Doll; Alexander's Ragtime Band; Your heart called mine; Vienna in Springtime; Za Zou Za.

10.15 p.m. Songs by Nelson Eddy (Baritone).
1. Tramp, Tramp, Tramp along the Highway ("Naughty Marietta") (Herbert). 2. Nenth the Southern Moon ("Naughty Marietta").

3. You are free ("Apple Blossoms"); 4. Love's Old Sweet Song (Molloy).
10.30 p.m. Dance Music.
11 p.m. Close Down.

ZEESON PROGRAMMES

Special programmes for Far Eastern listeners will be broadcast from Zeeson as follows:

DJB 19.74 m. 15.200 kc. 1.30-2 p.m.
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DJB 19.74 m. 15.200 kc. 2.30-3 p.m.
DJB 19.74 m. 15.200 kc. 3.15-3.45 p.m.

South Asia Zone broadcast from DJB (10.74 metres) and DJN (31.6 metres).
1.05 p.m. German Folk Song.
1.10 p.m. Little Musical Pieces.
2 p.m. News in German.
2.15 p.m. Little Musical Pieces (continued).
2.25 p.m. News in English.

3 p.m. News and Review in English.
3.15 p.m. Dance Music.
4.20 p.m. Here come the German Minstrels.
5.15 p.m. Folk Song Singing by the Hitler Youth.
5.30 p.m. News and Review in German.
5.45 p.m. A Talk about Books.
6 p.m. Minstrel for "Flute, Viola and Guitar."

EAST ASIA ZONE
East Asia Zone broadcast through DJQ on 10.53 metres (15.250 kc.) 1.30-2 p.m. Concert, news at 2 p.m.
4.25 p.m. German Folk Song.
7 p.m. Concert of Light Music.
8 p.m. News in English.
8.15 p.m. Greetings to our listeners in the Dutch East Indies.
8.30 p.m. Little German Broadcasting.
8.35 p.m. Concert of Light Music (continued).
9 p.m. News and Review in German.
9.15 p.m. Folk Music.
10 p.m. News and Review in English on DJQ.

10.15 p.m. To-day in Germany.
10.30 p.m. "Link-Strasse."
11.45 p.m. Hong Singing by the Hitler Youth.

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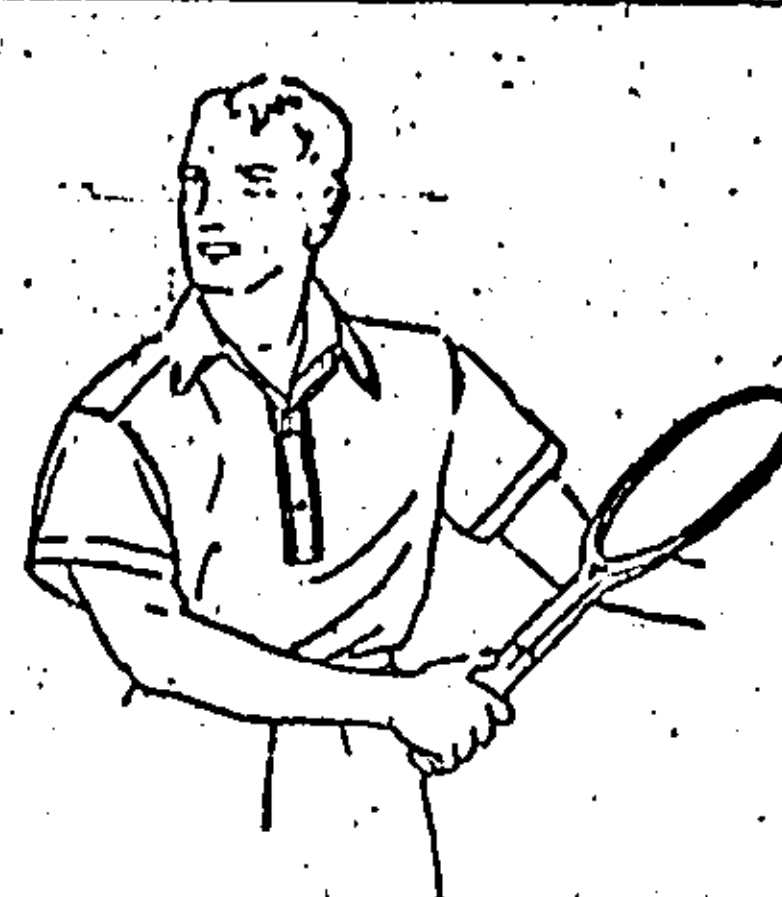
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Transmission 1
(G.S.D., G.R.N.)
1.15 p.m. Big Ben. Sports Talk.
1.31 p.m. Gramophone Huberman (Violin).
1.46 p.m. "The Dream of Paris."
2.24 p.m. Social by Boris' Packer (Violin).
2.48 p.m. The News and Announcements.
Greenwich Time Signal at 3 p.m.

Transmission 2
(G.S.D., G.R.N.)
7 p.m. Big Ben. A Recital by Millicent Sings.
7.15 p.m. "Life on Board a Whaler."
7.30 p.m. Val Rosing and his Orchestra.
8 p.m. The Band of His Majesty's Scots Guards.

Greenwich Time Signal at 9 p.m.
9 p.m. The News and Announcements.
9.20 p.m. Trinidad. Newryd, a Hen Alawon. Cynarae. Conir. hurmt. ran Wythwad. Hubman. y. Gwells. (New arrangements of Old Welsh Airs, sung by the Gwells Male Choir).

Transmission 3
(G.S.D., G.R.N.)
10 p.m. Big Ben. "R.S.V.P." An Empire party.
10.45 p.m. Empire Bookshop.
11 p.m. The B.B.C. Midland Orchestra.
11.45 p.m. The News and Announcements.
Greenwich Time Signal at 12 a.m.
12.15 a.m. Medved's Balalaika Orchestra.



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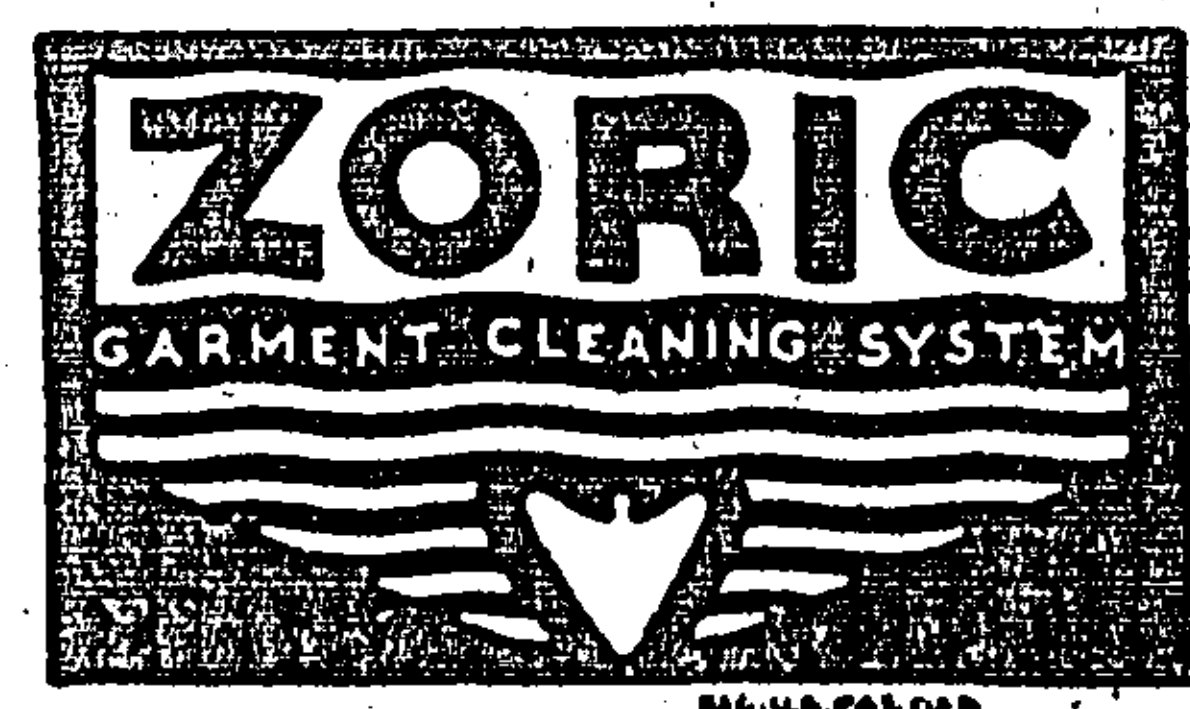
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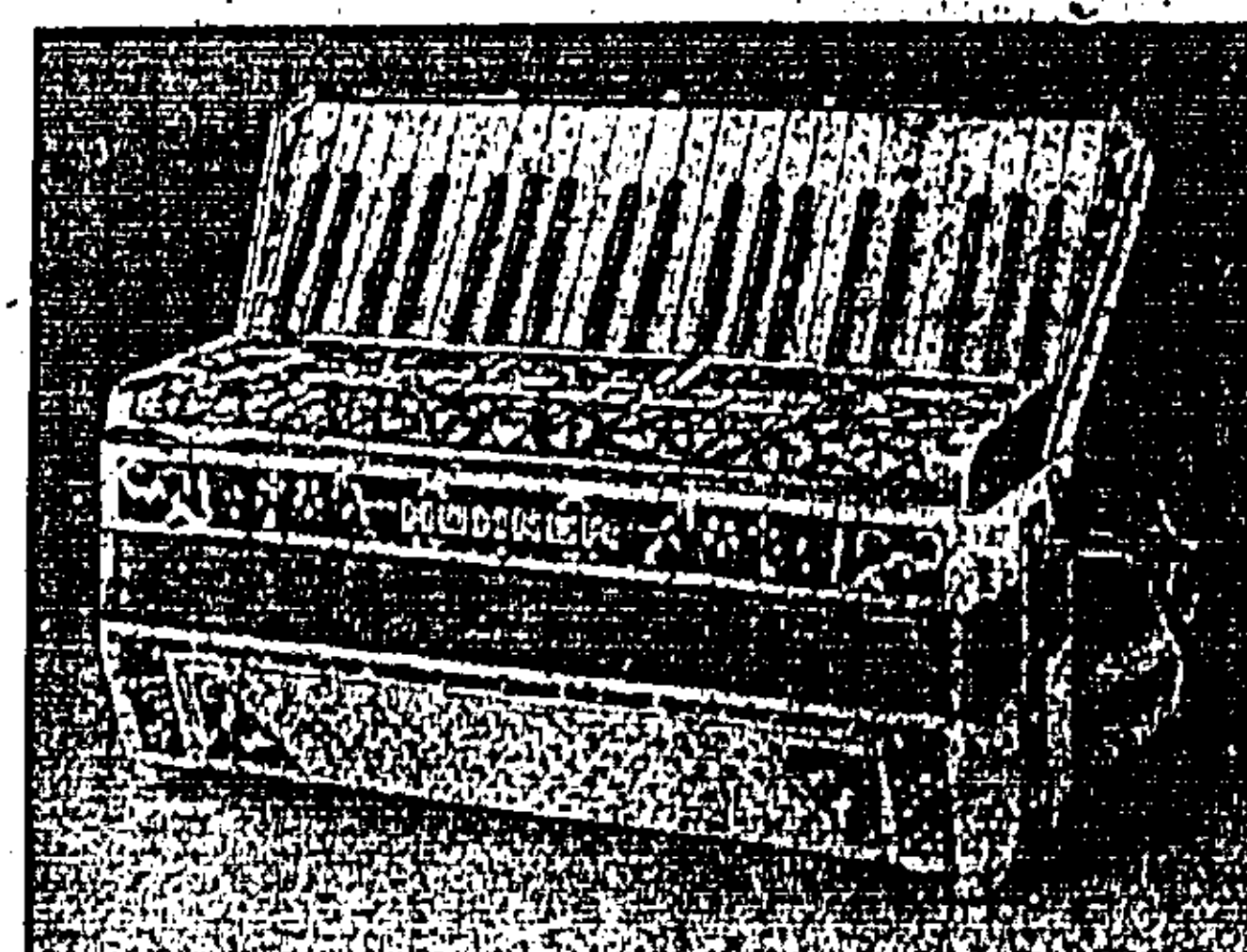
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Shanghai's Interport Lawn Bowls Teams

THREE POWERFUL RINKS CHOSEN

Well-Known Players Included
VICTORY IS PREDICTED

The Lawn Bowls Association have now released the names of the players chosen by the Selection Committee to represent Shanghai against Hongkong here, in the early part of September. The following are the players, venue and date of the three interport matches:—

1st Interport, Sept. 9 on the Police Lawn Bowling Club green in Hongkong Park—C. W. Glover (S.L.B.C. Skip), T. G. Main (H.C.C. No. 3), C. Richards (S.L.B.C. No. 2), F. Medina (C. L. Lead).

2nd Interport, Sept. 12 on the Yau-ni-tee Bowling Club green in Wai-yei Park—A. J. Hall (S.L.B.C. Skip), J. E. Harvey (H.C.C. No. 3), C. F. Remondet (H.C.C. No. 2), C. M. Sequiera (H.C.C. Lead).

3rd Interport, Sept. 14 on the Recreation Ground—G. V. Jensen (H.C.C. Skip), J. P. de Campos (C.L. No. 3), H. G. Howard (S.L.B.C. No. 2), W. T. Manley (H.C.C. Lead).

Reserves.—Skip, D. Ramsay (H.C.C. No. 3), F. O. Mada (H.C.C. No. 2), J. W. Brierley (H.C.C. Lead), A. Harvey (S.L.B.C.). All matches are to start at 3 p.m.

It is interesting to note that the players in the first rink are the same, although not playing in the Colony in order, that last against the Colony in Hongkong in 1931, when they were defeated by F. Cullen, skip, J. Fraser, A. M. Holland, J. Punccheon, by 25-16.

The Selection Committee have made a fairly good job of a difficult task, they have chosen three strong rinks, which in one or two instances, might have been improved upon, but naturally it is impossible to please everyone with so many good players to pick from. The reserves are particularly strong and would probably make a stronger rink than at least one of those chosen. In lawn bowls, more than any other game, there are players who are exceptionally good, who never seem to catch the eye and are missed by selection committees, year after year. Whilst other players not quite so good and perhaps trading on past reputations, are chosen year after year.

Although Hongkong are sending up a strong team this year, they will probably find the task of beating the three rinks chosen to oppose them, a bit too difficult and there is no reason why Shanghai should not again be successful and make it three straight wins.

JESSE OWENS SAILS

Athlete Going Home In The Queen Mary

Southampton, Aug. 19. Jesse Owens, the negro athlete who won the 100 metres, 200 metres and 400 metres sprint at the Berlin Olympic Games, and helped the United States to win the 400 Metres relay in world-record time, sailed by the Queen Mary for America to-day. He has received many offers of work in the States, and will consider them when he returns.—United Press.

Crawford Says "Phenomenal" of Perry's Cup-winning Tennis

(By Bruce Harris)

When Crawford and Perry discussed with me each other their rubber match, won decisively by Perry—and with it the Davis Cup—6-2, 6-3, 6-3. Perry said: "I knew when I went into court that my tennis of the forcing kind was either there or it wasn't. I found that it was present and correct, and so went out for a quick win before it deserted me."

"I think Jack was nervous, and probably the other members of our team had taken toll by running him about."

"Mind you, I was hitting the ball early, very early. And knowing that I was doing so and that I had struck a patch, I took all sorts of risks in going up to the net on poor preparation."

"But the shots were there in the crisis, and all went well. 'Did I feel nervous in the third set when I lost three games after leading 6-0?' I hardly know. It was such a rush. But from that point onwards I threw all my energy into clinching the match."

CHINESE ATHLETES CRITICISED

By Mosquito Press

The Shanghai mosquito press, one of the strongest arms of China's Fourth Estate, has received reports of the string of defeats of the Chinese Olympic teams with keen disappointment and sarcasm, but still with faint hopes and encouragement for the future.

Although none of the mosquito papers take cable stories from any of the foreign news agencies, they obtain their information regarding the Olympic competitions from the "big papers" and have commented extensively on the results of the events, particularly those concerning Chinese participants.

A survey shows that probably never before has the Chinese press in general taken such a keen interest in the Olympic Games as this year, this being chiefly due to the large number of Chinese participants in the competitions.

While the mosquito press critics generally agreed beforehand that China had no chance in track and field events, they had, however, expected a better display in the basketball games and in a few of the heats.

PAINFUL DEFEAT

They were particularly disappointed at the first basketball defeat, when China lost to Japan. There was a faint hope of getting to the semi-finals in this sport and giving of defeat was more painful because the victor was Japan. And it been some other country probably the mosquito press would not have been so bitter.

The members of the quintet, who were described by the Central News Special Correspondent at Berlin, as "haughty," came in for another attack when they lost in the second game to Peru. The defeat of the soccer team at the hands of Britain was a foregone conclusion, but some praise was dished out to the team for keeping the score so close.

TIMES DOUBTED

Individuals who came in for attack included Liu Chang-chun, the 100-metre sprinter, Paul Fu, pole vault champion, and Miss Yang Sau-king, pretty Chinese swimmer. The press was disappointed at the loss of these national champions, but placed in the first trials. One commentator asks whether the national record of Liu—10.7 seconds—was accurate, and why he did not place in the Berlin heats when some runners did by 11 seconds. Another critic doubts the timeliness of the stop-watch, saying that probably the stop-watch was pressed a little sooner, just to make the record look good and to please the runner and the public.

Paul Fu, who crossed the bar at 4.1 metres at the last National Athletic Meet, merely reached the 3.75 metres mark at Berlin, which caused another critic to doubt the actual record made in China. Miss Yang, who was 15 metres behind the winner in the 100-metres heat, was criticised as being spoiled by the public in China, who put her "too high."

In speaking of the races, one paper says that probably the peoples with coloured skin are not physically up to par with the white race, and then turns around and says that Jesse Owens, the negro sprinter, also has coloured skin.



English league footballers are now in the midst of rigorous training in preparation for the new season which opens on Saturday week. Here can be seen Charlton Athletic players putting in some routine work.

Barson To Captain S'hai Interport Cricket Team

SUCCESSOR TO DONALD LEACH

Shanghai, Aug. 18.

The Shanghai Cricket Club announced yesterday that A. J. Barson has been selected to captain the Shanghai Interport cricket team against Hongkong, which will be played in Shanghai early in October probably about the "Double Tenth." At the same time it was announced that the following five would comprise the Interport selection committee: H. A. Coward, E. C. Baker, W. C. G. Clifford, P. V. Simpson and P. Madar.

Barson's choice as captain will be thoroughly justified by all cricketers in Shanghai for there can be few who have done more to foster the game. He learnt his cricket at Halesbury College and played his first interport match against Hongkong in Shanghai in 1930 when the match was drawn on account of rain. He made 30 on that occasion. The match was played in May and in September he accompanied the S.C.C. side to Hankow.

After an exciting match Hankow won by ten runs, Barson's two contributions were 96 and 28. In that year he was also second in batting averages. He played in Hongkong when Shanghai won. The following year when the match was played in Shanghai he was in the side. That time Hongkong triumphed. His last appearance against Hongkong was in 1934. The interport was played here and Shanghai won quite comfortably.

SUCCEEDS LEACH

He could probably have gone down with the team to Hongkong last year but instead chose to go to Hankow. He also went to Hankow in 1933 when Shanghai won by one wicket. Last year Hankow won by one wicket. His selection brings the long run of captaincy held by D. W. Leach back from leave in time for the interport match. The S.C.C. committee have been wise not to choose him for, excellent cricketer that he is, he is bound to be out of touch with local cricket.

For the past two seasons Barson has captained the Wanderers League side.

CUNNINGHAM'S RECORD RUN

800 METRES IN 1:49.7

Stockholm, Aug. 20.

Glen Cunningham, the famous American athlete, who performed with distinction at the World Olympics, to-day, shattered the world's record in an 800 metres race when he returned the amazing time of 1 min. 49.7 secs.

Previous best for this distance was that of Thomas Hampson that English half-miler, who had a recognised record of 1 min. 49.8 secs., while Ben Eastman, another brilliant American runner also clocked 1:49.8 over 800 yards.—Reuter.

Lewis Carson beat W. H. Duff 9-7, 11-9, (retired).

C. C. Squires beat R. Forbes 6-2, 12-10, 6-4.

S. Mellman beat H. Madar 6-2, 6-4, 8-6.

Our Daily Golf Hint

The main idea in golf is to have the hands swing the club head. The golf stroke is a swing not a hit.

—Grantland Rice.

DUFF'S EXHAUSTING TENNIS MATCH

WITH CARSON

Shanghai, Aug. 16.

Winning all three singles matches without the loss of a set, America defeated Britain in the final of the Rotary Cup tennis tournament at the County Athletic Club yesterday. Only W. H. "Stick" Duff furnished strong opposition to the Americans; both Forbes, and in particular H. Madar, being off their game.

The first singles between Lewis Carson and "Stick" Duff turned out to be a gruelling match in which some of the best tennis seen this season was played, after which Duff retired. Carson had just an edge over Duff in smashing, earning valuable points when needed through his deadly overhead work.

It was a bitter struggle right through. Carson led 4-2 in the first set but Duff played an inspired game to even matters 4-4 and both won their services the score reached 7-7 when Duff dropped his second service game to allow the American to win 9-7.

DUFF RALLIES

Quite unruffled by the early success of his opponent, Duff started out strongly in the second set to lead 3-1, an advantage which Carson overcame; only to have the Briton regain again at 5-3.

Duff reached set point twice in the next game but the American was irresistible at this stage and after heated rallies, managed to save the match. Carson reached his peak in the next game, which he won to love bringing the score to 5-5 and killing three in succession at the net.

The Briton had the lead at 6-5 and again at 8-7 but was unable to break through Carson's service, although at one stage the score was love-30 against Carson.

Duff made his last supreme effort to take the set when he led 8-8, failure to realise which, apparently disheartened him for he lost the next three games and set 9-11. The Briton had shot his last bolt and retired at the end of the strenuous set.

Detailed results:—

World Title Bout Next February

New York, Aug. 20.

It was announced here to-day that the postponed fight between James Braddock and Max Schmeling for the heavy-weight title of the world, is expected to be staged at Miami in February next.—United Press.

M. W. Lo Returns To League Tennis

AND WINS THREE SETS.

M. W. Lo, 1929 Colony tennis champion, made a welcome re-appearance in league tennis yesterday when he partnered his sister, Mrs. Litton, in a mixed doubles match against United Services Recreation Club, and won all three sets.

Chinese Recreation Club won the match by seven sets to two, the only visiting pair to score successes being L. Goldman and Mrs. Wilson, who secured two out of three sets.

Mrs. Dowling returned to the U.S.R.C. team after a lengthy absence, but she and A. L. Sullivan could, make no impression on the powerful Chinese pairs.

C.R.C. are now firmly set for the mixed doubles championship. They have to meet K.C.C. (1) twice, but need only to beat them once to win the title. Only by losing their last two matches can C.R.C. fail to win the league.

Yesterday's scores and the amended league table follow.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
C.R.C.	6	0	0	0	45½	8½	12
U.S.R.C.	0	4	0	2	30	21	8
K.C.C. (1)	4	3	0	1	25	11	6
Recreio	0	1	4	14½	30½	3	3
K.C.C. (2)	0	1	1	7	17	55	1

PRIZES FOR WORST BRIDGE HANDS

Best Also to Be Accorded Recognition

New York, Aug. 16.

Mrs. Ely Culbertson, the famous bridge expert, has announced that she will give prizes for the best and worst hands in bridge. The only conditions are that the hands must be dealt in a bona fide game and must be authenticated by a notary public.

Mr. Culbertson believes that his offer will settle once and for all the periodical reports of hands containing thirteen cards or one suit, and will check statistically a person's chances of drawing such a hand.—United Press.

LEAGUE TENNIS

K. I. T. C. STILL WINNING

To-day's Big Encounter

"C" DIVISION

The long drawn-out contest for the "C" Division tennis league championship is nearing its end. Yesterday Kowloon Indian Tennis Club overcame another important obstacle by beating South China in the latter's final match of the season.

This afternoon K.I.T.C., who are neck and neck with Recreio for the honours, meet Kowloon Tong, after which they play Recreio in the last match of the programme.

To-day's match is of unusual interest as it will bring in opposition the two most successful pairs in the league, namely the Hussain brothers of Kowloon Indians, who have won all 27 sets played to date, and the Chan brothers of Kowloon Tong, whose record falls but little behind that of the Hussain combination.

This set is certainly expected to produce some of the best tennis seen in the "C" Division this summer, and the outcome may be anything so well do the pairs appear to be matched.

The game is being played at Kowloon Tong, which will have no pleasure in seeing K.I.T.C. will have to play to win. They will probably have to fight every inch in order to win, and the result may easily go in favour of the homeboys by the odd set.

Yesterday saw the Army Tennis Club finish their programme with a drawn match against Craigengower, this also being Craigengower's last game of the season.

Even without one of the Chan brothers, Kowloon Tong won quite comfortably against Chinese Recreation Club, while it was the Hussain brothers and together with Firdos Khan and M. A. Khan who pulled the game through for K.I.T.C. against South China.

Details of the matches and the revised league table follow.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Recreio	10	10	0	0	75½	14½	20
K.I.T.C.	9	9	0	0	68½	14½	18
S.C.A.A.	11	9	0	2	65½	33½	18
K.T.G.C.A.	10	7	0	3	60	30	14
A.T.C.	11	6	1	4	56	38	13
K.C.C. (A)	11	4	1	6	44½	54½	9
H.K.U.T.C.	10	4	1	5	36½	52½	9
K.C.C. (B)	11	4	1	6	45	54	9
S.C.C.C.	10	2	1	7	27½	62½	5
C.R.C.	11	2	1	8	31	68	5
C.R.C.	0	1	0	6	28½	52½	2
I.R.C.	10	0	0	10	15½	74½	0

ARMY T.C. DRAW WITH CRAIGENGOWER

Results: N. P. Karanjia and O. Sadick (C.C.C.) lost to S. M. Fowles and Q. M. S. Warr 2-6, beat Q. M. S. Davies and S. G. Cooper 6-3; Sgt. O'Connor and L/Cpl. Tudor 6-1.

S. A. Cassumhoy and A. Hung (C.C.C.) lost to S. M. Fowles and Q. M. S. Warr 1-6; lost to Q. M. S. Davies and S/Gt. Cooper 2-6; beat Sgt. O'Connor and L/Cpl. Tudor 6-2; L. Choa and D. Hing (C.C.C.) drew with S. M. Fowles and Q. M. S. Warr 6-6; lost to Q. M. S. Davies.

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SUCCESSFUL RACKET WELDERS

IN "C" DIVISION OF TENNIS LEAGUE

The following are the most successful pairs to date in the "C" Division of the tennis league. Their performances include yesterday's matches.

"C" DIVISION

	Set	P.	W.	D.	L.
S. A. and S. B. Hussain (K.I.T.C.)	27	27	0	0	0
H. and A. Chan (K.T.G.C.A.)	24	23	0	1	0
C. E. Watson and R. S. Capell (K.C.C.C.)	27	20	4	3	0
L. A. Silva and J. Xavier (Recreio)	24	19	2	3	0
M. A. Khan (K.I.T.C.)	27	18	0	0	0
Fowles and Warr (A.T.C.)	30	19	0	2	0
M. (K.I.T.C.)	27	18	0	0	0
V. Freeman and L. E. Kirby	30	17	18	0	0
G. and H. Nurnah (Recreio)	18	16	1	1	0
A. M. Silva and G. Gonsalves (Recreio)	16	14	1	0	0
Davis and Cooper (A.T.C.)	24	11	9	4	0
O. L. Pang and Wei (K.T.G.C.A.)	12	10	2	0	0
G. W. and C. L. Ma (K.C.C.)	18	10	1	0	0
P. Orr and A. Philippens (K.C.C.C.)	13	9	1	2	0
N. and M. (S.C.A.A.)	10	9	4	2	0
W. Gittins and G. A. White (K.C.C.)	0	7	2	0	0
G. (K.T.G.C.A.)	15	7	1	1	0
D. Agarwalla and J. Faro (S.C.C.C.)	15	7	4	4	0
F. A. Broadbridge and J. S. Smith (K.C.C.)	12	6	4	0	0
G. F. Bentley and R. M. (K.C.C.C.)	12	6	4	2	0
A. M. Silva and H. Ribeiro (Recreio)	10	6	0	1	0
C. Chan (S.C.A.A.)	6	5	1	0	0
A. Baker and A. J. (H.C.C.)	16	6	10	0	0
N. P. Karanjia and O. Sadick (C.C.C.)	24	5	17	2	0
H. Nurnah and G. L. (Recreio)	6	4	2	0	0
S. Chan and P. K. Leung (S.C.A.A.)	6	4	2	0	0
S. Cassumhoy and A. Hung (C.C.C.)	18	4	13	1	0
S. Chan (S.C.A.A.)	5	3	0	0	0
C. P. Ip and T. (S.C.A.A.)	5	3	0	0	0
C. Chan and A. (C.C.C.)	5	3	0	0	0
N. J. Bellingham and A. L. Fisher (K.C.C.)	3	2	1	0	0
A. Hung and S. (C.C.C.)	3	2	1	0	0
H. N. Chan and T. F. Lo (C.C.C.)	3	2	1	0	0
L. Choa and A. Hung (C.C.C.)	6	2	4	0	0
G. C. and K. C. Y. (K.T.G.C.A.)	5	2	1	0	0
H. K. Ho and C. L. (S.C.A.A.)	3	2	1	0	0
M. K. Ma and T. K. Leung (S.C.A.A.)	3	2	1	0	0
A. L. Fisher and P. A. Broadbridge (K.C.C.)	5	2	1	0	0
Y. N. (University)	3	2	1	0	0
K. L. Chan and H. (University)	3	2	1	0	0
B. Ho and P. C. Yu (University)	6	2	3	1	0
A. L. and S. (University)	3	2	1	0	0
C. Wei and P. E. (C.C.C.)	3	2	1	0	0
M. A. and M. F. Khan (K.I.T.C.)	3	2	1	0	0
P. P. K. and K. T. Ma (S.C.A.A.)	6	2	1	0	0
A. M. Silva and F. J. Remondet (Recreio)	3	2	1	0	0
N. P. Karanjia and O. Sadick (C.C.C.)	3	2	1	0	0

MEAD SUMMONED FOR NOT MAINTAINING HIS MOTHER

Philip Mead, the Hampshire county cricketer, was summoned at South-Western police court, London, last month, for not maintaining, when of sufficient means, his mother, Louisa Hannah Mead.

Mr. F. M. Conlan, prosecuting for the L.C.C., said that Mead's mother had been in a Poor Law institution and was chargeable to the L.C.C. She was 73 years of age.

Mead was a married man with three children.

Mr. Claud Mullins, the magistrate, made an order for 7s. 6d. a week.

China Is To Follow Germany's Lead

AND ORGANISE SPORTS ON OLYMPIC LINES

Berlin, Aug. 18.

Dr. C. T. Wang, the chairman of the China National Amateur Athletic Federation, and Mr. Sung, the leader of the Chinese Olympic team, to-day were presented by Dr. Frick, German Minister of the Interior, on behalf of Chancellor Adolf Hitler with the German Olympic medal of honour in recognition of their services in ensuring China's representation at the XIth Olympic Games at Berlin.

In an interview with Trans-Ocean Mr. Sung stated: "We never expected any victories from the beginning since with us modern sport is comparatively new. But the one great advantage we have gained from the Games is the insight into the German sport organization. In future we will organize sport in China along German lines. At a meeting of the China National Amateur Athletic Federation held here it was decided to submit a fifteen year plan to the Chinese Government for the physical development of the Chinese youth."

Answering the question whether the performances of the athletes had equalled their achievements at home, Mr. Sung said: "No, since for one thing, the climate did not suit all competitors." Mr. Sung further stated that the organization of the Games had made a great impression on them, all paying glowing tribute to the Germans' activity, interest for organization and to the hospitality shown by all foreigners.

Asked when the team was leaving Mr. Sung stated that the footballers were playing matches at Vienna and London while the rest of the team intended to make trips through Germany. They would all meet on September 4 at Naples for their homeward voyage.

To the question what hopes China had on the next Olympic Games at Tokyo, Mr. Sung replied: "In Tokyo we will appear with a larger team than at Berlin and we hope that there we will meet with more success, especially as our men by then will be better prepared. The four years which

SHORT HISTORY OF AUSTRALIAN CRICKET

WHEN SPOFFORTH MADE HIS FIRST APPEARANCE

ARTICLE VI
(By R. Abbit)

The English team had been more or less happy at Ballarat, but they had next to move to a place called Stawell which was seventy four miles away and the road was little else but a bush track. I am not precisely sure what a Cobb's coach may be but it is clearly not as comfortable as a modern car! And for twelve hours W. G. and his protesting team were bumped across country to their destination.

However, it seems that they received a most warm welcome and they had a day's rest during which W. G. and Gilbert went shooting and most of the others visited the gold mine there—reputedly a very wealthy one. It was just as well that they had a pleasant day as the game against the local twenty-two as usual, was a dreadful experience. The wicket was so rough and dusty that on one occasion a slow ball failed to reach the batsman at all, while no amount of force could hit the ball into the ground to the boundary. Suffice it to say that the local side—better used to these conditions—won by ten wickets in a couple of days. W. G. had had enough of it and went off shooting but six professionals took on twelve of the local people at single wicket, and got a horrible licking. As W. G. pointed out on many occasions if the wicket is not only bad but absurdly bad, all players are reduced to the same level.

MORE TROUBLES

The troubles of the side, however were not yet over. Having suffered very much from dust on the first drive, they now met mud, on their journey to Warrnambool via Ararat and apparently they could have done with the ark, as it rained in torrents during a ninety mile drive. They finally arrived soaked to the skin, with their baggage also sodden with wet. The usual warm welcome was given them at the Hotel, where they arrived very late, but the English skipper was definitely peeved when he was knocked up by a reporter at midnight, and apparently the "interview" was neither long nor successful.

The cricket, thanks to the fact that the wicket had been transformed by the rain into a flatish swamp instead of a series of bumps, was a little easier and the English side about half way through the second day had won by nine wickets. As usual there was a single wicket match. W. G. Bush, Gilbert and G. F. Grace took ten local men but it was a draw. There are some curious side-lights on the way things went in Australia in those days. It is recorded that card-sharps and professional gamblers swarmed on the ground and piled their trade in complete disregard of the police. The local authorities also had let the catering for "these days" be pretty good, however, so instead of the English team all getting a day off, six professionals and five local men took on eighteen local men to fill up the third day and got soundly beaten. The others seem to have gone kangaroo shooting, and had a pretty good time. From here the team went to Melbourne, exchanging the pains of land travel for those of seafaring. The usual seasickness came on and for sixteen hours they had a bad time which was repeated a couple of days later on their voyage up to Sydney.

SPOFFORTH'S FIRST MATCH

The match which was played there against an eighteen of New South Wales marks the first appearance of Spofforth, who got two wickets for sixteen in the second innings. Altogether the English side did not cover themselves with glory and were beaten by eight wickets. They next were due to go to Maitland but the ground was under water and so they dodged a journey by sea and had a train journey for a change—a slow railway travelling which, however, proved infinitely more agreeable than our travelling adventures in the lumbering coaches in the bush, and the tossing little steamers of the coast. There was quite a good match at Bathurst and England won by eight wickets. The Governor of New South Wales Sir Hercules Robinson went along and saw the match. He had been Governor of Hongkong from 1859 to 1865. Thence they returned to Sydney and played a combined fixture of Victoria and New South Wales. It was in this match that the rather unpleasant episode of the batsman who would not go out took place. But it did not prevent a most hearty ovation by the spectators when later on the game was finished off in the favour of England.

They had the usual bad trip down to Melbourne—somewhat cheered by an enormous oyster supper when W. G. purchased a sack of oysters which was part of the ship's freight. But they did not stop long in Melbourne, but went off to Sandhurst and afterwards to Castlemaine. As usual the wickets were terrible and W. G. mentions that their lives were scared nearly out of them by the reckless way in which coach drivers took steep hills at a gallop.

After a return to Melbourne where England beat a fifteen of Victoria by seven wickets they left for the usual Tasmanian trip where a couple of games were won. The impression left on my mind is that the cricket in Tasmania then was considered better than that in Australia, through possibly the fact that there was a perfect road for the drive of a hundred and twenty-five miles from Lannecaton to Hobart. Town may have rendered W. G. a bit more appreciative. He most notably enjoyed the apples. The most notable cricket in Tasmania was a score of 154 by G. F. Grace, which stood as a record in Tasmania for a good many years.

The tour was drawing to an end. There was a drawn match at Melbourne and then a desperate sea voyage and another bumpy drive through bush country to Kadina. I have already mentioned the awful ground there, and the extra match that was played at Adelaide.

TOUR CONCLUDES

This was the end of the tour and the side returned home reaching England on 18th May. The impression left on me by reading W. G. Grace's account of it—which by the way was written about a quarter of a century after the tour—is that while he liked the people of the islands, he did not enjoy the hardships whether of transport or of the wicket which had to be suffered during most of the up-country games. There is a story told by Mr. Athum that W. G. said, at a farewell dinner, to Boyle (who came to England in the 1878 side): "If you ever come to England and your bowlers are as good there, as they are here, you will make a name for yourselves." They did!

Reverting once more to the question of the journeys which in these days were, with the exception of sea trips round the coast and one bit of railway from Sydney to Bathurst, made by coach, I had supposed that it was a thing of the very distant past. But I was most interested and surprised to hear from a local cricketer who follows cricket very closely that though there are up to date trains all is not yet perfect. He writes:—

"Curiously enough, similar complaint exists to-day in respect of the train journey from Melbourne to Sydney, concerning which a member of the Rugby League team, which recently toured Australia, says: 'This journey is about the world's worst.' Dinner is of the 'hit and miss' variety, that is to say, one mouthful of food hits its objective O.K., but it is never a 5 to 4 chance that the next has the same luck. When you attempt to drink coffee, the odds are distinctly against a successful coup. To sleep in such a 'rattler' is difficult—in fact some of our newcomers had a very poor night."

But the length of the voyage is a thing of the past—I gather you got to Perth or rather Fremantle sooner than you do to Hongkong if you leave Marseilles at the same time. And Cuffyn would be amazed at the size and the luxury of the modern liner which goes to Australia! (To be continued.)

SMALL UNITS GALA

SPLENDID EVENT AT Y.M.C.A.

KEEN RIVALRY

The Annual Aquatic Meeting of the Small Units Sports Club was held last night at the Y.M.C.A. swimming-bath, a large group of friends turning up to cheer on the participants. Major G. A. Beagle-Browne, R.A.S.C., presided as referee.

The strong R.A.M.C. swimmer, Private Wright won the first individual honour, the 220 yards Free Style, Sigmund Bonham, R.C.S., placing second. The Inter-Unit Diving Competition for the Championship Challenge Cup was won by the R.A.M.C. with a total of 117½ points. Lieut. C. C. S. Genese, 2/E. Lan. Reg. and Mr. R. Goldman, were the diving judges.

Private Wright won the 50 yard Dash as well, with Private Lawler, R.A.O.C. following. Mrs. Burke won the 25 yards Ladies' Race, while Miss Fallowfield was placed second. In the 100 yards Breast Stroke for individual honours, Private Hughes, R.A.M.C. was placed first with Private Harris of the same Unit close behind.

Lieut. Grossman, R.A.O.C., won the 50 yard Officers' Race. Private Wright again came to the front in the 400 yards, when he earned an ovation by finishing the race two lengths ahead of the second man, Private Underwood and the third man, the latter two fighting gamely to the end of the 16 length race.

The final event on the programme was the Inter-Unit Relay Race which was won again by the R.A.M.C. In the early part of the race, R.A.M.C. was quite far behind, but a burst of speed by the fourth man in the team of six not only cut down his Unit's losing margin, but managed to put the race well in the winner's hands. Private Wright, anchor man, finished the Meet in a final burst of speed.

Officials in the Meeting, in addition to the Referee, were Capt. G. S. O'N. Power, R. Signals, Capt. L. J. Walsh, R.A.S.C., Capt. J. Boyle, R.A.M.C., and Lieut. G. Gillam, who served as judges. Lieut. C. C. S. Genese, 2/E. Lan. Reg. who was starter, while Lieut. F. W. Steves, R.A.O.C. and Lieut. W. S. Reeve, R.A.O.C. were the time keepers.

The Chief Whip was Mr. Q.M.S. J. McGarry, R.A.M.C., Hon. Secretary: Lieut. E. H. Reeder, R.A.S.C.; Announcer, C.S.M. T. W. R. Sahin, R.A.S.C. and the Recorder was S/Sgt. A. Besson, R.A.S.C.

Actually, a Lance Corporal Pearce of the Royal Engineers was first, followed by Private Taylor, East Lanes, and Lieut. Calvert of the Royal Engineers in that order.

K.I.T.C. STILL WINNING

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and S/Sgt. Cooper 3-0; beat Spt. O'Connor and L/Cpl. Tudor 0-2.

KOWLOON TONG BEATS C.R.C.
—Results: O-L. Pang and K-C. Yee (K.I.T.C.) beat H. N. Chau and T. F. Lo 6-3; beat C. Wei and S. L. Ma 6-4; beat P. F. Li and P. H. Kwok 6-1.

A. Chan and W. H. Wei (K.T.C.) beat H. W. Chau and T. F. Lo 6-3; beat C. Wei and S. L. Ma 6-4; beat P. F. Li and P. H. Kwok 6-3.

J. F. Un and Mok Ling (K.T.C.) lost to H. N. Chau and T. F. Lo 1-6; lost to C. Wei and S. L. Ma 2-6; lost to P. F. Li and P. H. Kwok 3-6.

SOUTH CHINA A.A. BEATEN
N. K. Ma and Y. K. Ng lost to S. S. and S. A. Hussain 1-6; beat Firdos Khan and M. M. Khan 0-3; beat I. Mahan Singh and T. M. V. Devan 6-2.

T. T. Ma and P. Y. Kwok lost to Hussain and Hussain 2-6; lost to Khan and Khan 5-7; lost to Mahan Singh and Devan 0-6.

J. Mok and Y. L. Kwan lost to Hussain and Hussain 2-6; lost to Khan and Khan 2-6; beat Mahan Singh and Devan 6-4.

Mr. J. R. Masson returned to the Colony yesterday after a brief visit to Shanghai.

Three cases of Typhoid were reported to the local Health authorities on Wednesday.

Four Shanghai Swimming Records Lowered

SPLENDID PERFORMANCES BY JAPANESE AND AMERICAN

In four out of the five championship swimming events held at the Cerele Sportif Francaise gala last week, exciting Shanghai records were broken. Honours were divided between M. Matsushita, the Japanese swimmer who lowered the middle distance records, and T. Britton, the 16-year-old American who set up new marks in the sprint events. The backstroke, the only ladies championship event of the evening was won by Miss S. Brabner.

Tommy Britton lowered the existing Shanghai record for the 50 yards men's free style, jointly held previously by Noel Hammond and Frank Hadley at 25 2/5 seconds. Britton's time last night was 25 seconds, which considering the straight swim without a turn is very good. L. Oliveira sprang a surprise by taking second place beating A. Gavriloff by a touch. Britton also won the 100 yards junior free style championship, lowering his own record made last year of 59 2/5 seconds and setting up the new mark of 59 1/5 seconds.

Confirming predictions, M. Matsushita broke two existing Shanghai records. He finished an easy winner in the 440 yards free style, and lowered the existing record of 5 minutes 40 2/5 seconds, being recorded at 5 minutes 34 1/5 seconds last night. D. Smith, the 16-year-old American had also broke the old record, finishing second in 5 minutes 44 seconds, and T. Tonishi was third. M. Matsushita was given a good race by his colleague T. Tonishi in the 220 yards free style, and won by five yards in the new record of 2 minutes 32 4/5 seconds, as compared with Hammond's old mark of 2 minutes 34 seconds. D. Smith was third.

Miss Stephanie Brabner won the ladies 50 yards backstroke event from Miss Helen Rodriguez, the time for the race being 43 seconds. The existing record is 38 seconds held by Mrs. V. E. Raven (nee Miss V. E. Schmid).

In the concluding water polo match of the evening, the French Club defeated a Hong Kong team by four goals to nil after leading by two goals to nil at the interval.

BRITTON'S BAD LUCK
Tommy Britton swam half the length of the pool as a result of a false start in the 50 yards championship event before he was stopped. He was given ten minutes to rest before the start was made again, and on this occasion all four swam at very level. Gavriloff held level with Britton for the first half of the race, but the latter went slightly ahead with his longer and more powerful strokes, Oliveira coming up at the end to contest second place with Gavriloff. Britton won by five feet, with Oliveira second, a touch ahead of Gavriloff.

M. Matsushita set a fast pace for the earlier races of the 440 yards free style championship. Logans attempted to hold level with him, but could not stay the pace and after two lengths dropped back. D. Smith and T. Konishi swam level in third place, 25 yards behind Matsushita, and 10 yards behind Logans, but came up to pass Logans in the turn into the fourth length. Matsushita could not increase his lead on Smith and Konishi, and went on to win by 25 yards.

Gavriloff got away to a fine start in the junior 100 yards and led Britton for the first lap, but the latter came up very strongly at the turn, and within a stroke was level, going on to win by five feet, Gavriloff being

second and Prince third, some distance behind.

KONISHI HOLDS MATSUSHITA
A terrific pace was set for the 220 yards men's free style championship, Gavriloff holding ahead level with Konishi and Matsushita for the first length, Logans and Smith being slightly behind. At the turn, the two Japanese commenced to draw away, swimming side by side, and Gavriloff dropped back. Smith came up towards the middle of the second length with Logans close on his heels, though both were still slightly behind Gavriloff. In the third length, Konishi still held level with Matsushita, the latter failing to leave his colleague behind until he had turned into the final lap, and here he pulled away, to go on and win by ten feet.

Qualifying For Wimbledon

A DIG AT THE AUTHORITIES

The following is an amusing letter published recently in *Lawn Tennis And Badminton*, in which the writer—a prominent tournament player in England—jibes at the methods adopted by the All-England Lawn Tennis Club in accepting or rejecting entries for Wimbledon.

Lawn Tennis and Badminton.
Dear Sir,—For many years I have enjoyed a facility of inventive genius and have managed to fill up the foot of the form very fully—without very difficulty—on the Championships Entry Form. But now I am writing to you for advice. What shall I say next year? The other has been so often to the well, that the latter is dry.

I have considered three methods. 1. Veracious. 2. Plausible. 3. Spurious. Veracious: "Dear Major Larcombe—I have not played in open tournaments since 1910, but at my club I have some jolly close sets with my Secretary." That will do, won't it?

Spurious: "You will readily appreciate that the spurious method must be very complete. Honourable, bogus championships, etc., must be invented." "Dear Major Larcombe:—Single—I have beaten—Charles Chen Honolulu Championships, 1935, 6-3 6-6 6-2 6-1; Vinipocanna 6-3 6-6 6-6 6-6, Spring Lacation Tournament, King Solomon's Mines Club Doubles—With Sergeant Cummins—Lestrade beat, Holman and Watson 6-2 6-4; beat Jekyll and Hyde 7-5 6-6. Mixed Doubles—With Miss D. Armentiers beat the lot."

But I still think my best performance was in April, 1935, when I dived into Southampton water, and in Arctic pants (or perhaps trunks) in search of my gold cigarette case.

Yours truly,
H. M. TURNBULL.

Khoo's Mother at Deathbed After Tragic Vigil

Penang, July 31.
Semi-conscious, scarcely able to recognise his closest friends, and with his eyesight failing him, Khoo Hooi-hye, perhaps the most famous of all Chinese tennis players, died at his mother's home here on Sunday in tragic circumstances.

His last words to his mother, who had kept a bedside watch on her stricken son almost continually for the three weeks of his long illness, were: "What is that fire? I see smoke! It comes!" A sudden silence fell in the room as death claimed a great sportsman. He breathed his last at 5 p.m., surrounded by a despairing group of friends and relatives.

That, the late Khoo Hooi-hye was held in great esteem by many was evident in the huge representative attendance at the funeral yesterday, the gathering including numbers of prominent members of the Chinese community, local sportsmen, both foreign and Chinese, and legions of his admirers. Moving tribute was paid to the Chinese sportsman by the huge number of floral wreaths which were piled high on the funeral carriage.

Dense crowds lined the route of the funeral procession and as the remains of the veteran athlete wound its way to its last resting place a deep silence marked its progress. He was interred at the Khoo family cemetery, Thean Tiek Estate.

The greatest tribute of all came from Khoo Hooi-hye's grief-stricken mother. "He was a dutiful son, and a fine man," she said shortly after her sad bereavement.

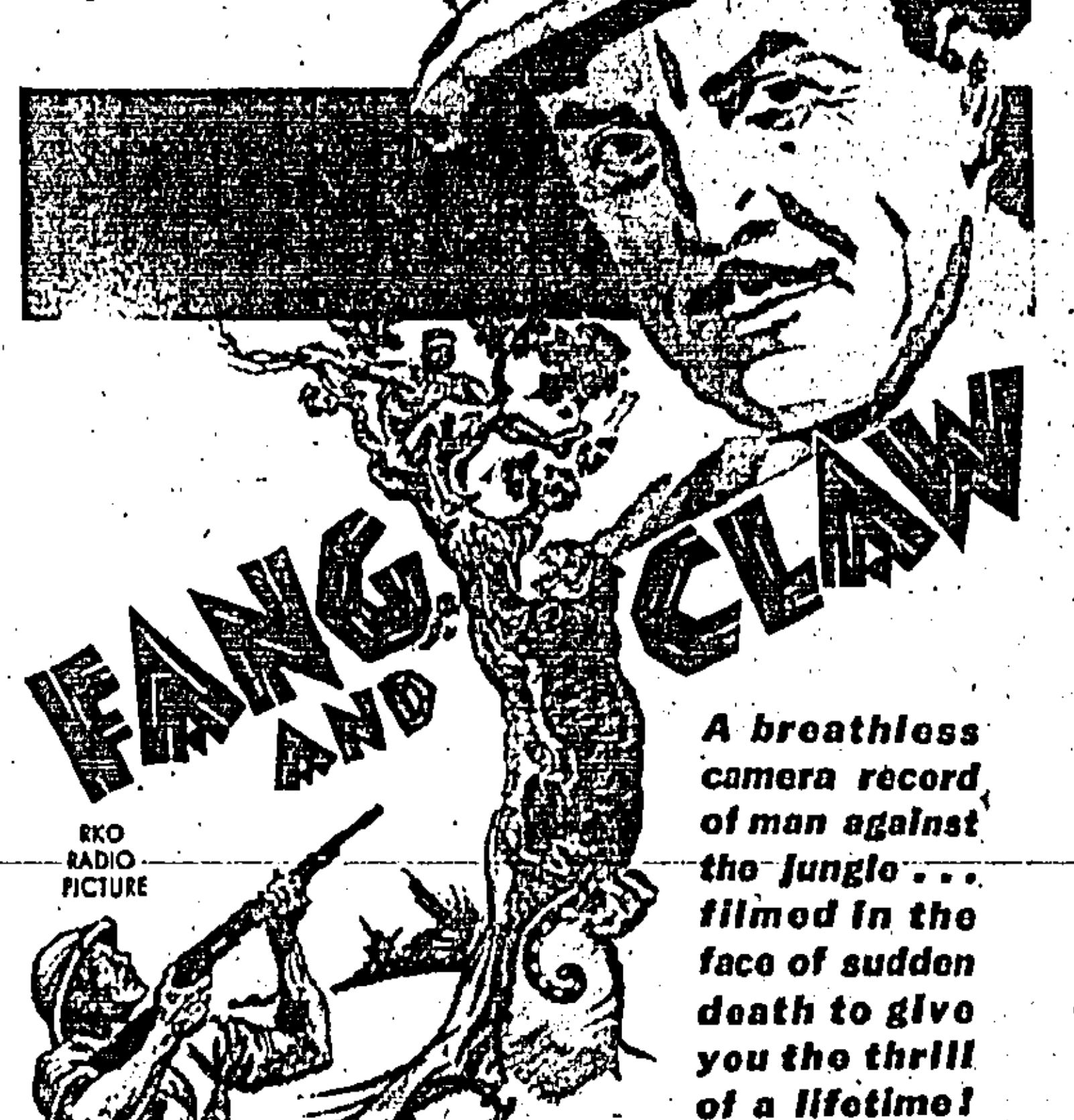
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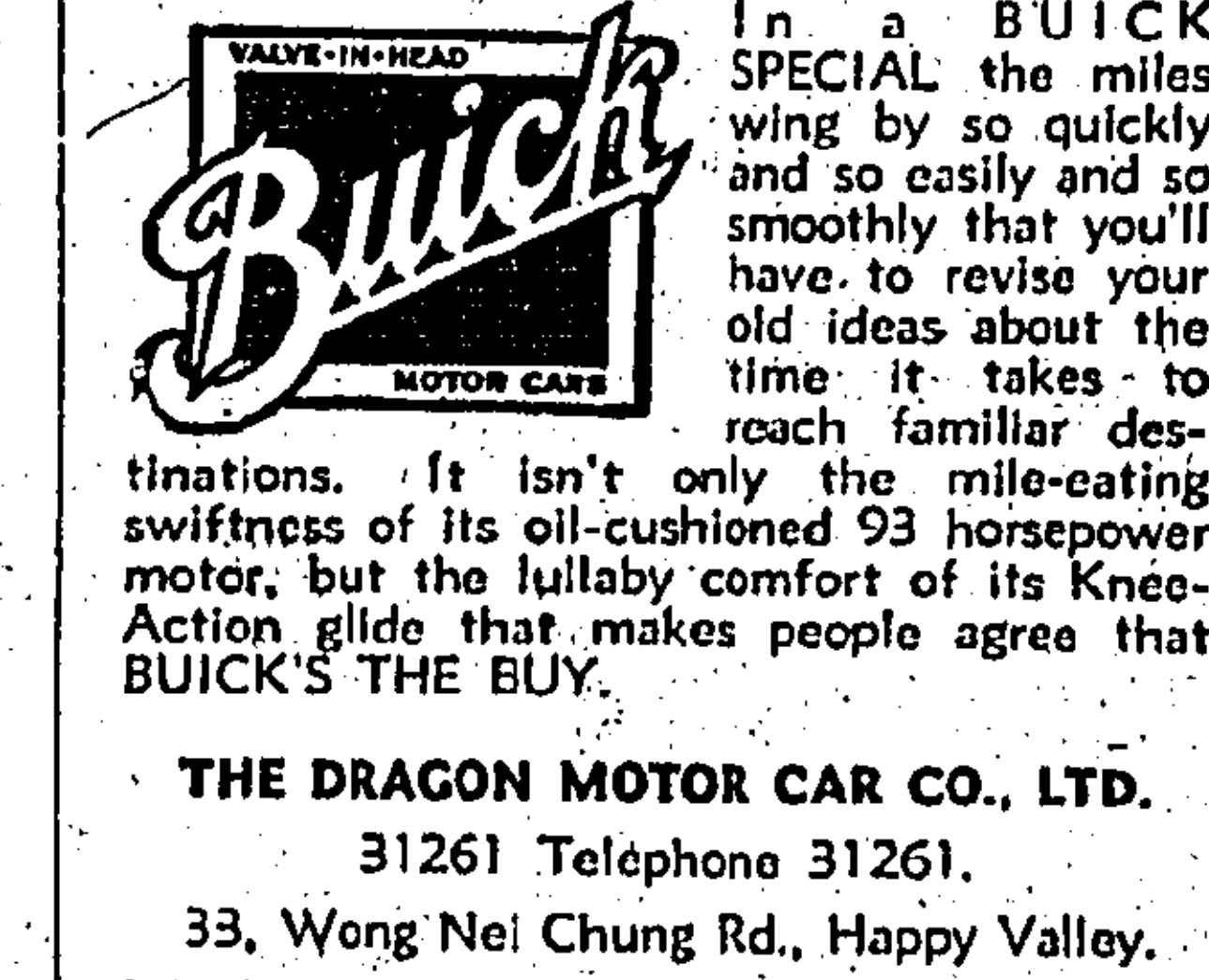
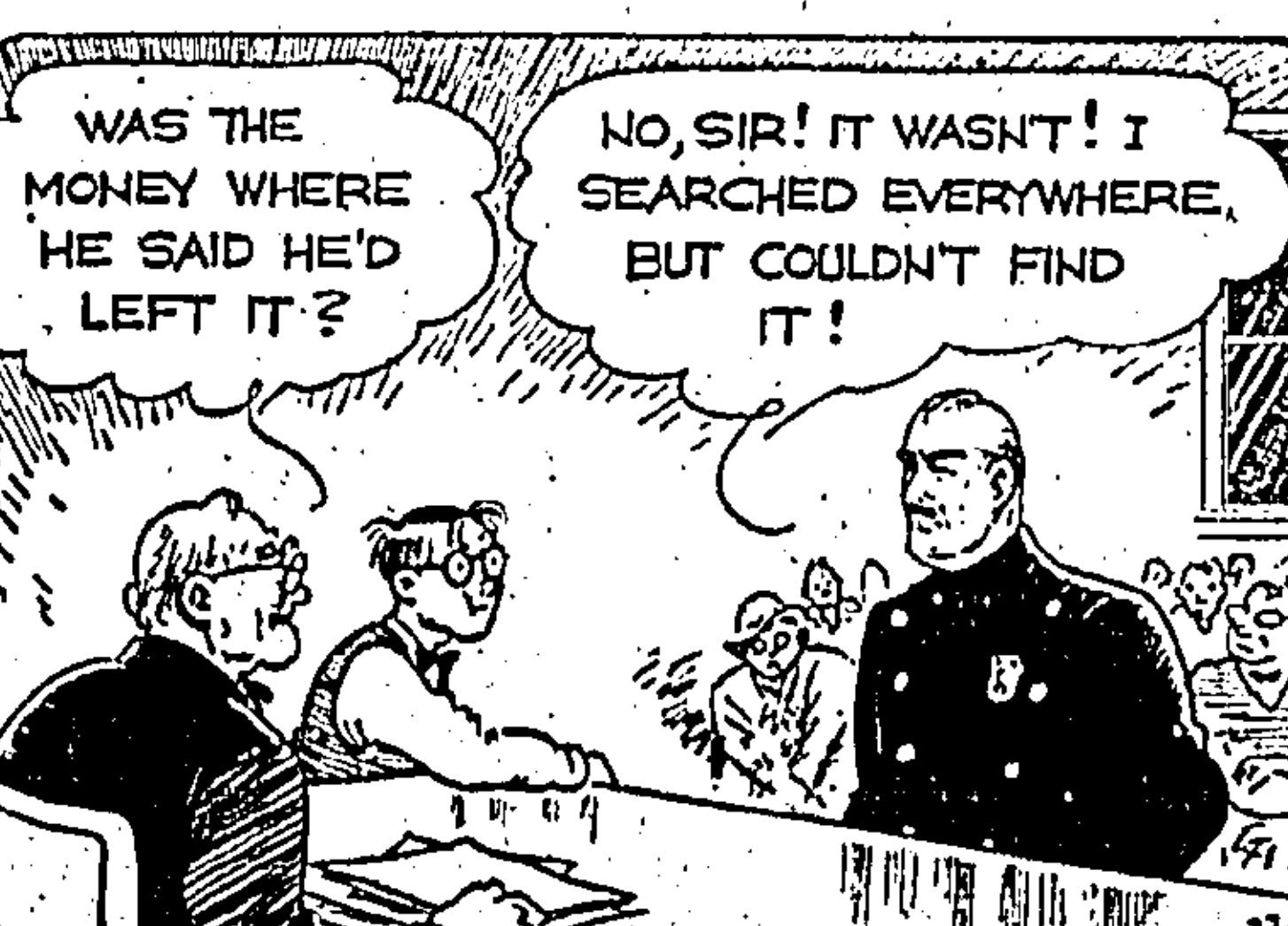
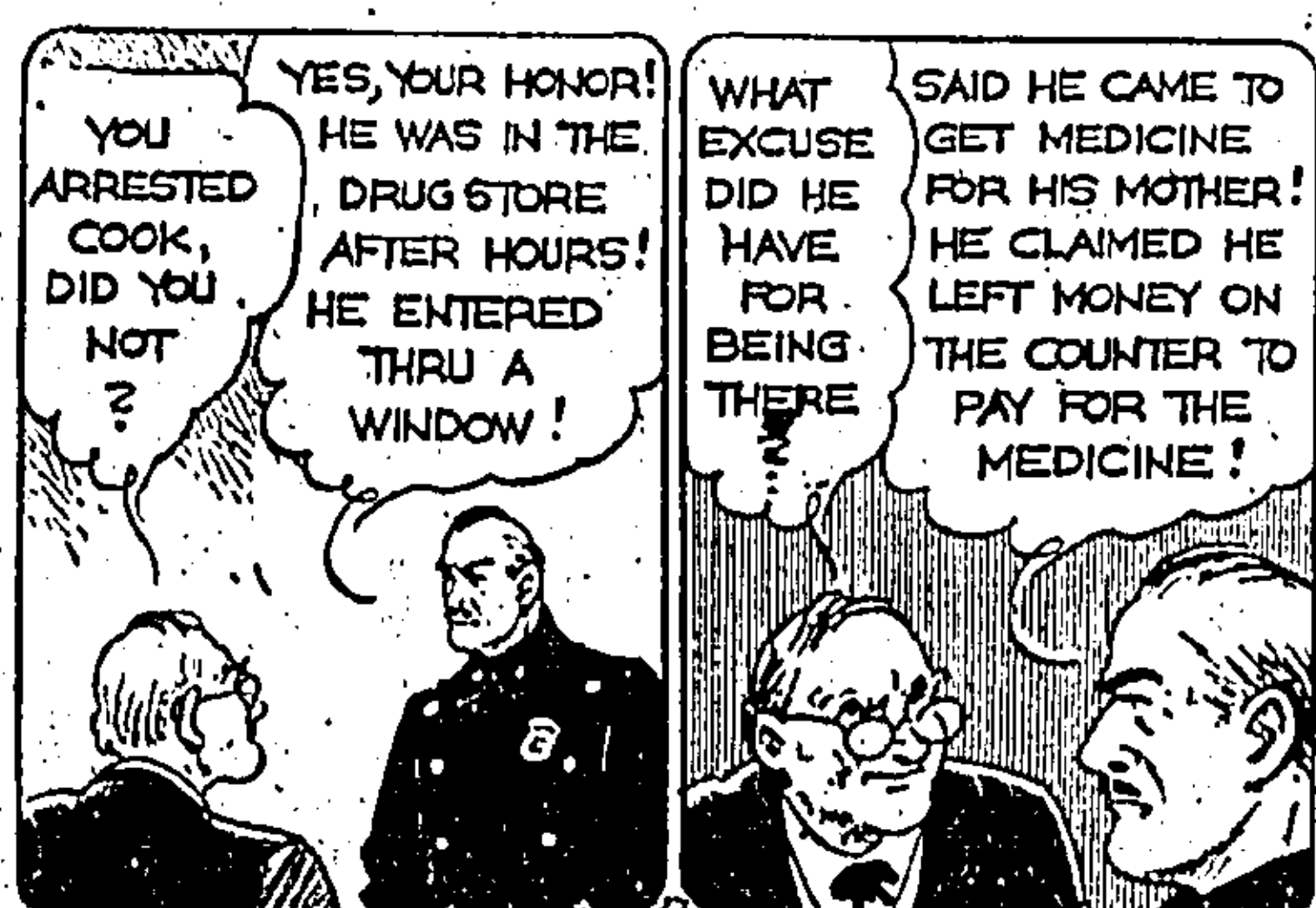
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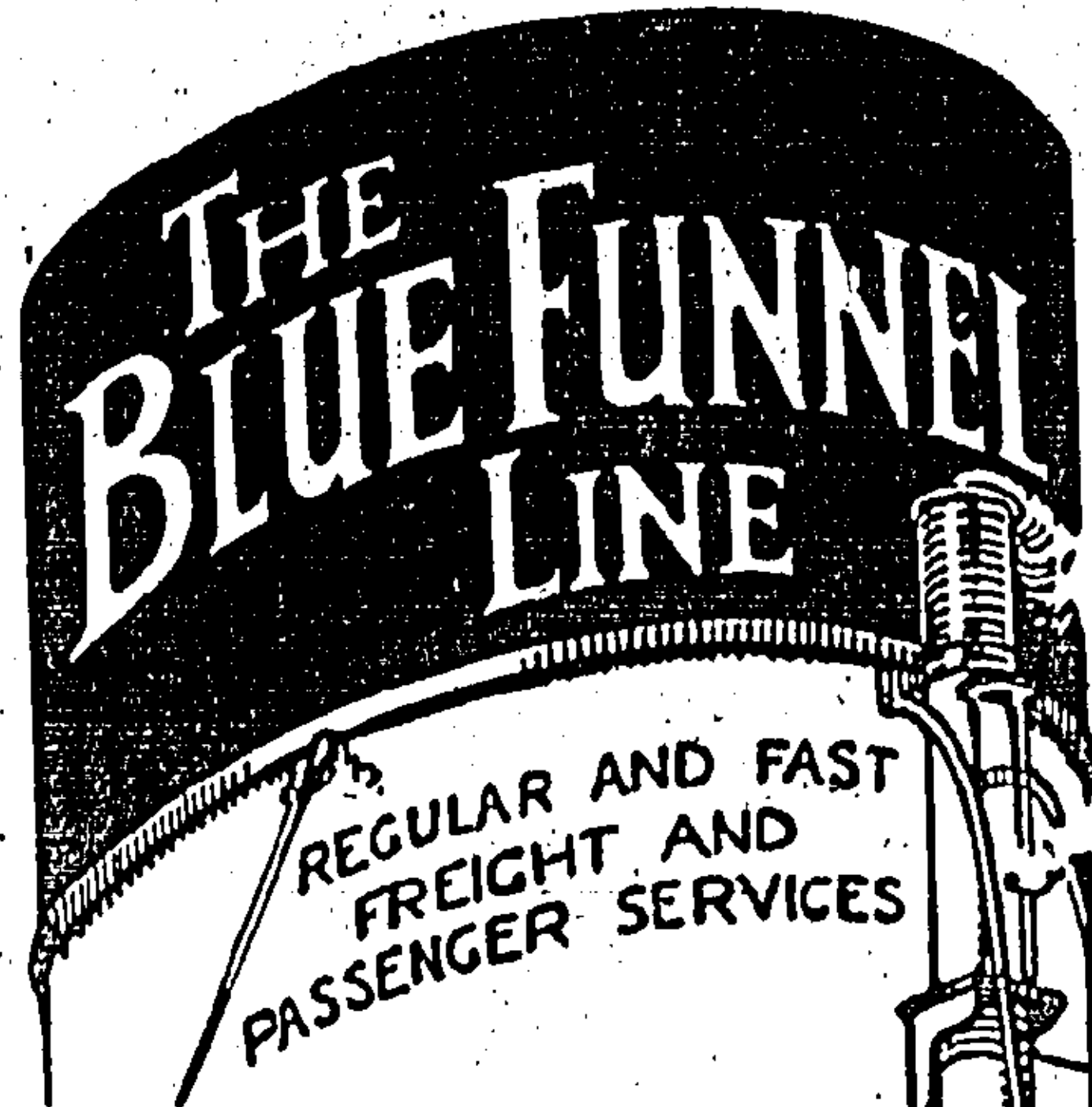
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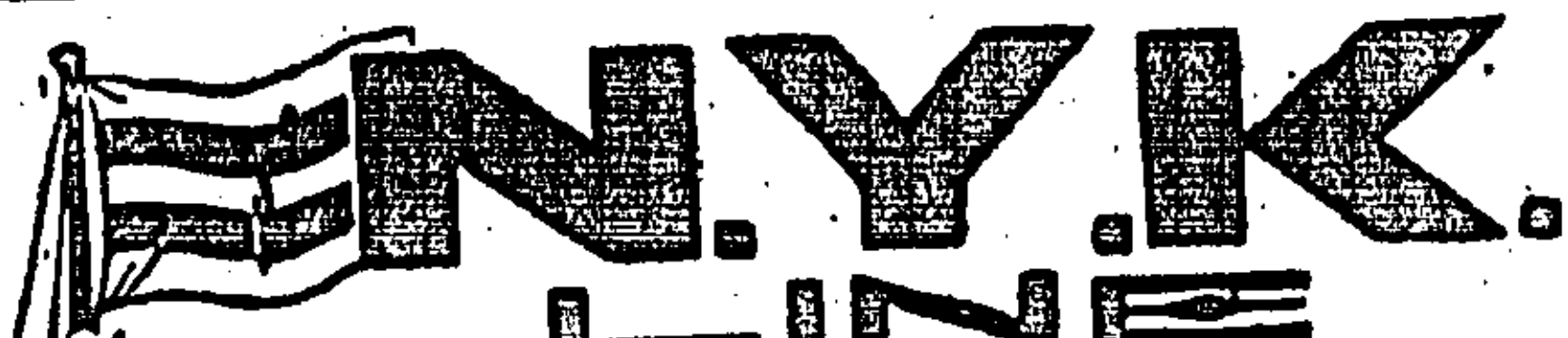
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summarises the League of Nations' Interim Report of the Mixed Committee on the Problem of Nutrition (Allen and Unwin, 2s.)

JUST as a starving man, gazing hungrily at the food he is denied, may yield to an ungovernable impulse and smash the plate-glass window, so, too, with hungry nations craning over the barriers of their own economic nationalism.

But the fist which does the smashing may be the mailed fist of armed Dictatorship.

In the one case, it is called "larceny," and in the other, "economic expansion."

But in a world of abundance, the privation which drives either an individual or a nation to desperation is intolerable.

World Challenge

That is made abundantly plain in this report of the committee, of which Lord Astor is chairman and on which are represented the League of Nations Health Committee, the International Labour Office and the International Institute of Agriculture. The other British delegate is Professor Edward Mellanby, Secretary-General of the Medical Research Council.

It is a challenge to the world to find salvation in healthy, well-fed people, to "marry health to agriculture," with Peace as the sacrament. It extends the British findings of Sir John Orr to the whole world.

"The economic interests of the community as a whole are bound up in maintaining the standard of physical efficiency among the people and laying the foundations of the health and well-being of future generations," says the report.

"Moreover there is a definite social and political interest in the accomplishment of this task, owing to the well-ascertained relationship between the deficiency of food, and especially of protective foods, and social unrest."

It takes as its background the policy of the International Labour Office that "raising living standards in all countries is a condition sine qua non of social justice and peace."

"Just as there are supreme National Defence Councils and National Economic Councils, so there should also be a National Food Council."

Raise Incomes!

And the function of these State councils would be to see that adequate food was available for every one, watch family budgets, control food resources.

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true elsewhere—"The average diet of the lower income groups is inadequate for good health."

"At the most legislative control aims at assuring a 'living wage' or a 'reasonable wage.' These are concepts which assume levels of nutrition actually existent rather than ideal standards."

The "Depression" behind which so many Governments took refuge from the blame for social ills was not the cause of the widespread malnutrition; it only intensified the existing ills.

"Adequate nutrition cannot be assured by a policy directed exclusively towards countering the effects of the depression."

"The main cause of malnutrition is poverty. Malnutrition can never be overcome when poverty is its principal cause, except by increasing the income of the poor."

The report argues that the price of foodstuffs could be substantially reduced by limiting the disproportionate costs of distribution.

Starvation Facts

What a picture the report paints of a half-starved world!

Mothers dying because they have either been denied food as children, and through rickets, have contracted skeletons which increase the risks of childbirth, or because they have given what nourishment they received to their unborn child and have no resistance to infection or endurance."

In America, 316 out of 576 mothers suffered painful muscular soreness because they were giving out of their own bodies to their unborn children more calcium than they were getting in their diet.

So, too, in Norway, three-fourths of the mothers were calcium deficient.

In London, 50 per cent. of nursing mothers examined were anemic.

Among the infants, the League of Nations inquiry found that infant mortality was largely due to the pernicious combination of poverty and ignorance."

Among the pre-school children appears malformations of the bones, abnormality of the pharynx due to bad feeding. The five-year-olds examined on entering London schools were found to have 67 per cent. to 88 per cent. abnormality

of the bones, 67 per cent. to 82 per cent. of adenoids, septic tonsils, etc., and 88 per cent. to 93 per cent. badly formed or decayed teeth.

In an American city, 90 per cent. were found to be receiving inadequate food.

"In the early stages of school-life many of the children are already damaged goods."

And then they attack the definition of "malnutrition," behind which the authorities have sheltered so complacently, based on measurements and weight.

"Whereas such results of improper feeding as subnormal growth and weight can usually be rapidly improved by better feeding, the more chronic conditions cannot be so easily remedied."

Prevention rather than treatment of the disease must be more emphatically stressed.

"Even on the present basis of diagnosis there is abundant evidence of malnutrition—20 per cent. to 30 per cent. of the children in the poor quarters of Paris ... in frequent ... in Yugoslavia ... in Poland, 25 per cent. ill-nourished in certain regions, 7 per cent. of them threatened with tuberculosis, and 50 per cent. requiring additional meals ... in U.S., 74 million children undernourished ... nearly all the children of the Negro population of New York were suffering from rickets ... 33 per cent. of the children of Connecticut ... 43 per cent. of the children in the villages of North Norway ... 33 to 67 per cent. in the two northern counties of Sweden."

Recruits

Tuberculosis is increasing among the adolescents, and particularly among young girls.

"This state of affairs has been ascribed by some to the modern habit of slimming; by others to the greater expenditure dictated



Sometimes to be burned as furnace fuel

proportion of men, rejected has risen between 1923 and 1932 from 45.25 to 67.78 per thousand."

Starvation, they point out, is rampant even in rural areas.

The Committee, among its main interim recommendations to the Assembly, urged that Governments should—

Consider what steps should be taken, whether at the public charge or otherwise, to meet the nutritional needs of the lower income sections of the community;

Consider whether any modification of their general economic and commercial policy is desirable to ensure adequate supplies of foodstuffs, and, in particular, to assist the re-orientation of agricultural policy;

Take all possible steps to make food supplies available at prices within the reach of all classes;

Take steps to improve and cheapen marketing and encourage collaboration between co-operative and other forms of producers' and consumers' organisations.

Way To Peace

This is only a preamble to the full report, but it already points the way to the nations to a world economy based upon health through the proper distribution of the wealth of food and the proper organization of agriculture; to a world peace through healthy minds in healthy bodies; to a true 20th century civilisation.



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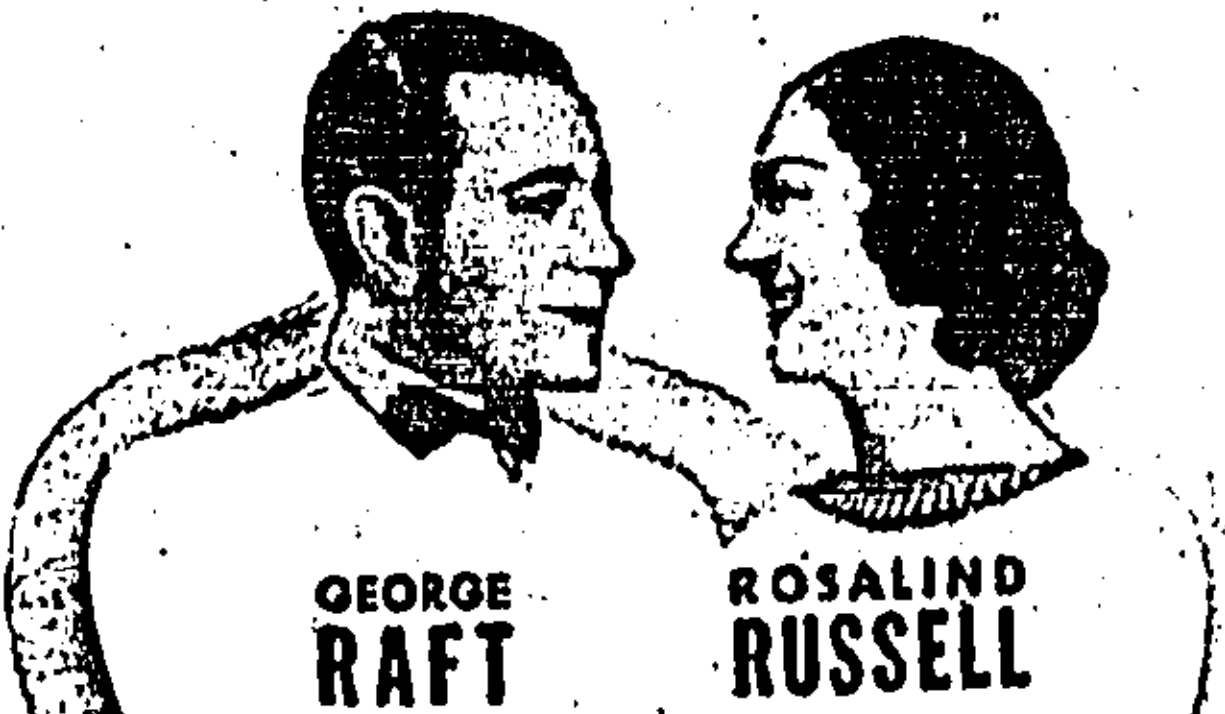
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Deceased was a most popular and most prodigious worker. He organised all the arrangements at the Olympic village, but was replaced just before the Olympic visitors arrived, allegedly because he was not 100 per cent. Aryan. Official quarters scout this suggestion, saying he suffered from overwork and strain following the Games.
It is further stated in official circles that he was given a long holiday and a special bonus, as well as being awarded the first-class Olympic Cross of Honour.—Reuter's Special.

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ST. LOUIS CLINGS TO TOP PLACE

CHICAGO GOING
INTO DECLINE

New York, Aug. 20.
St. Louis maintained its position at the head of the National League to-day, winning from Cincinnati, four to two. New York Giants, who are bidding strongly in a late season sprint, were not in action.
Chicago, now thoroughly slumped, was beaten by Pittsburgh, six to eight to seven. Pittsburgh is now challenging the Cubs for third place, Pittsburgh hit fifteen times to Chicago's six.
With eleven hits and three runs, Boston defeated Philadelphia, whose six hits yielded one tally.
In the only American League game scheduled, Detroit hit seventeen times against St. Louis Browns, scoring eight runs. St. Louis hit eight and scored four, but with the help of Bill's and Solters' homers.—Reuter.

DEFRAUDING THE POST OFFICE

BOARDING HOUSE
LICENSEES FINED

Fines of \$100 each were imposed by Mr. S. F. Ballfour, the Central Magistrate, this morning, on the licensees of boarding houses on each of the summonses against them for having posted registered parcels containing letters addressed to different persons, thus committing a breach of the Post Office regulations.
The defendants were Lai Cheung-ling, licensee of the Ki Sang Chun boarding house, Nos. 60 and 68 Connaught Road Central, summoned for having sent, on or about June 10, a single parcel containing 18 separate letters to Singapore; Fan Kai-ting, licensee of the Ping On Chan boarding house, No. 203 Connaught Road West, summoned on two counts of having sent parcels containing 80 letters and 60 letters on July 3; and Lai Chiu, licensee of the Cheung Yat Chun boarding house, 129 Connaught Road Central, summoned on one count of having sent 35 letters in one cover on July 10.

Mr. H. R. Butters, Postmaster General, appeared for the prosecution this morning, and Mr. D. McCullum for the defendants.
At the last hearing the first two defendants gave evidence, denying they had sent the covers, and that it had probably been done by some of the guests of the boarding houses without their consent or knowledge.
Lai Chiu gave evidence this morning, also denying that he had sent about it, and suggesting it had been done by the guests without his consent or knowledge.

Defendant, however, agreed, under cross-examination by Mr. Butters, that it was cheaper to send letters in a clubbed packet, than to send a man specially with the letters to Singapore. He also said he knew of a boarding house in Singapore, but if he wanted to send ten letters, he would send them separately, one by one. It would be so simple, he agreed, to send the letters in a clubbed packet, and it had been done by some of his guests.

GUILTY KNOWLEDGE

Mr. McCullum submitted that His Worship had first to consider whether or not guilty knowledge was an essential ingredient in the charge. If His Worship came to the conclusion that it was, then it was left to the prosecution to prove it. He thought there were provisions in the Ordinance where proceedings could be taken against firms or companies, and it was then for the managers or partners to show that everything was done without their knowledge.

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Mr. Ballfour convicted defendants, remarking that the fact that the name of the boarding house was on the packet made the licensee responsible. If the licensee had a defence, he had every opportunity of producing witnesses. The job was most probably done by a folk.

U.S. Declines To Mediate

WON'T INTERFERE
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"Early to-day two wood-working employees of this company went into a hangar on the Portsmouth Aerodrome and took out a Courier aeroplane, the property of the company. Neither of the men was a pilot. In this aeroplane they attempted to take off from the aerodrome but hit an obstruction on the boundary and crashed. Both men are seriously injured.

Subsequent to the accident one of the men said they took the machine with the intention of flying to Spain. "We take this opportunity of stating the act was entirely unauthorised by this company, which had no knowledge or cognisance of this foolhardy attempt."—British Wireless.

Pilots Warned By Ministry

NO MORE PLANES
FOR SPAIN

London, Aug. 20.
Unilateral action of the British Government, to make effective the essentials of a non-intervention pact in the Spanish Civil War, in anticipation of a general agreement among interested powers on proposals drawn up by the French Government, was carried a stage further this afternoon when the Air Ministry issued the following announcement:

"In view of the decision of the Government to prohibit export of aircraft to Spanish possessions and the Spanish zone of Morocco, any pilot convicted of an offence against the Air Navigation Order or Customs Acts by reason of having made a false declaration to customs authorities in respect of destination or other particulars of aircraft, will come under consideration of the Secretary for Air with a view to cancellation or suspension of his pilot's licence.

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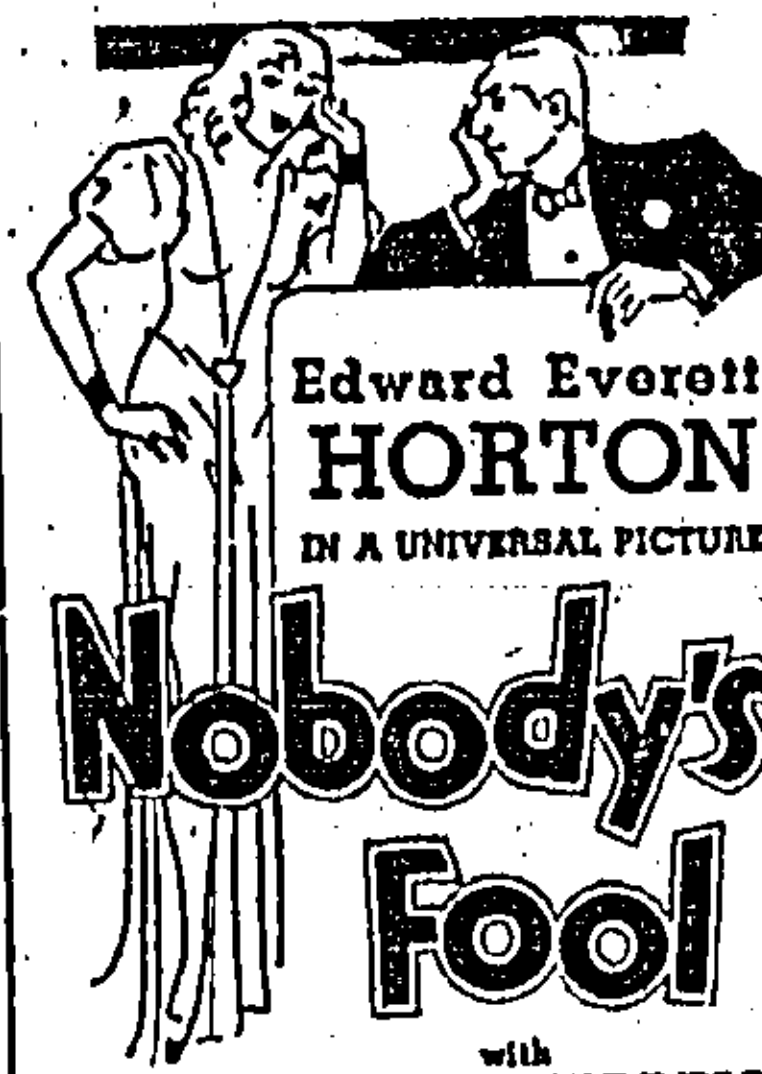
ACTRESS TO WED

Hollywood, Aug. 20.
Mrs. Anna Macdonald, mother of the actress, Jeanette, announced to-day that the popular film star would wed Gene Raymond, another film actor, in a few weeks.—United Press.

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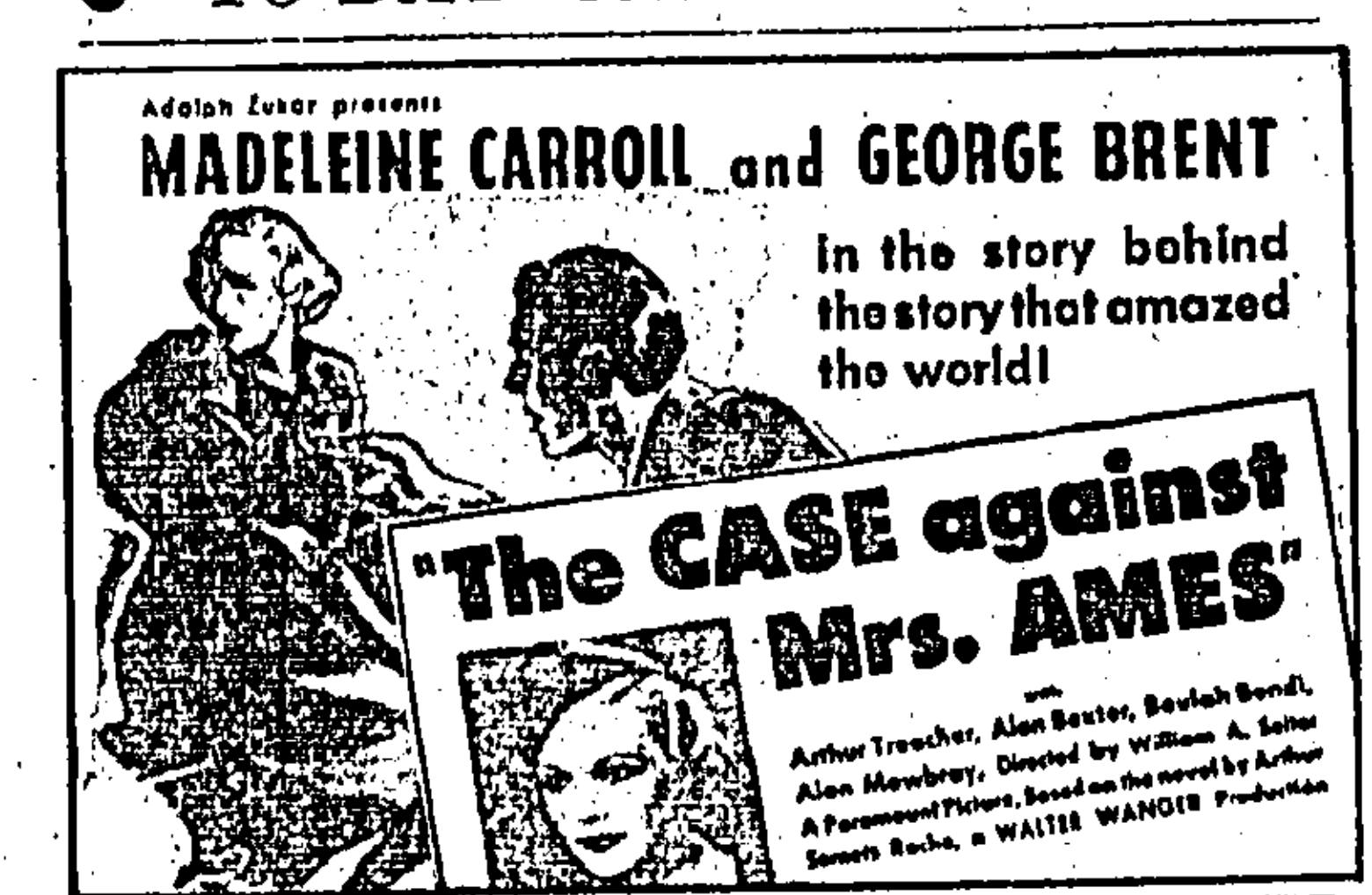
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CRUISER HIT FROM SHORE Insurgent Craft May Fail to Make Port BOTH SIDES LAY CLAIM TO VICTORIES

Paris, Aug. 20.

A report from Cadiz states an insurgent aeroplane sank a Government submarine off Cadiz yesterday.—*Reuter Bulletin Service.*

ON ROAD TO BADAJOZ

Madrid, Aug. 20.

The way to Badajoz has been opened by a Government victory at Estramadura, according to official claims. The loyalists are said to have captured Alia, in the Guadalupe mountains, in an attempt to drive the rebels from Badajoz.

The position in Madrid is also much improved, it is stated by the War Ministry, and the Minister declared after a Cabinet meeting: "The enemy has been prevented from crossing the Guadarramas. To-day marks the beginning of the end for them."

"The Government," he added, "routed an insurgent column in the district of Navalperal and the area is cleared of them."

WARSHIP SINKING

The Almirante Cervera, the only rebel warship with anti-aircraft guns, is stated to be sinking and unable to reach Ferrol for repairs. She was last seen slowly steaming towards Gijon, with a heavy list.—*Reuter.*

Irún Bombarded

Hendaye, Aug. 20.

Two rebel planes flew over Irún today without doing any damage when they dropped four bombs near the hospital. The attack is said to have followed warnings to evacuate the hospitals since the bombardment would be renewed.

Anti-aircraft guns in vain strove to down the bombers. Earlier, Fort San Marcos shelled the battleship Espana, and struck one funnel. The extent of the damage to the ship is unknown, but she headed for Ferrol without replying to the fort's fire.—*United Press.*

Rebels Undismayed

Burgos, Aug. 20.

An official rebel communique says the Government forces are renewing the attack in the Guadarramas. Their aerial bombardment inflicted no material damage. The rebels counter-attacked successfully. "Our progress on San Sebastian continues," said the communique. "Our forces are also advancing and combating the enemy in the Granada and Malaga sectors."—*United Press.*

Severe Fighting

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Loyalist volunteer militia is reported to have scaled the hills beyond Irún last night and to have captured the heights of Antoja, killing thirty Carlist monarchists and capturing eight. It is understood the rebels captured a loyalist field battery only 100 yards from the San Sebastian boundary and that they are at present encamped on the outskirts of the city.—*United Press.*

General Situation

Madrid, Aug. 20.

It is semi-officially stated that the loyalists repulsed a new rebel attack in Navalperal area and are at present resisting the insurgent offensive on three fronts, in the west, south-west and north.

The loyalist commander in Navalperal has telephoned Madrid asking for 1,000 reinforcements.

It is reported that rebel western and south-western columns, including native troops in addition to Spanish Foreign Legionaries, are pushing forward, but loyalists are said to have repulsed a force of Moorish irregulars and Fascists.—*United Press.*

ZINOVIEFF EXPOSES PLOTTERS

FREELY ADMITS OWN SHARE OF CRIME "STALIN MUST BE DESTROYED"

Moscow, Aug. 20.

"I plead guilty before the working class of the world because I know every word pronounced is universally pronounced," declared M. Grigori Zinovieff, speaking before the courtroom microphone when answering the charge that he, with others, had plotted against the life of Dictator Stalin and other leaders of Russia.

For two hours, Zinovieff, a shadow of his former self, described the plot to kill Stalin without an effort to defend himself. He confirmed all the prosecution's allegations and explained the chances of a coup seemed best in 1932 because of the unfavourable economic conditions.

The possibility of seizing power resulted in the formation of the bloc of Trotsky, Zinovieff and Bukharin factions.

The entire Soviet press continues a violent agitation against the defendants and demands the death sentence for all.

KAMENEFF TESTIFIES

At the resumption of the trial today, Kameneff testified that Trotsky, Zinovieff and himself were the organizers of the terrorist plot. They were angry with the party leadership and craved power from which they were excluded by the progress of historical events.

In August, 1934, it was decided to hasten the terrorist activities and during this period Trotsky received through Dretzer, directions

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DRIVING NORTH



General Francisco Franco, commanding the southern rebels in Spain, is pushing columns towards key points and is confident of success.

15 ARABS KILLED IN FIGHT

BRITISH MILITARY POST ATTACKED NO CASUALTIES SUFFERED

Jerusalem, Aug. 20.

Fifteen Arabs are believed to have been killed in an attack which lasted all day between an armed Arab gang and military detachments near Hadera, in Central Palestine.

The conflict started with an attack on a military patrol, whereupon reinforcements, including aircraft, were sent to the scene of the fighting. The troops suffered no casualties.

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Berlin, Aug. 20.

Rear-Admiral Carls, commander of German warships in Spanish waters, has sent a threatening message to the Spanish naval command, saying Germany would "answer force with force" in the event of a repetition of the Kamerun incident. The Kamerun was stopped by gunfire from Spanish warships yesterday and searched by Spanish seamen.

"I am not disposed to tolerate such an act of force," declared Rear-Admiral Carls.

Meanwhile, *Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung*, in a typical editorial, asserts: "Germany will adhere to a policy of non-interference, but incidents like this, and Moscow's interference, are apt to make the efforts of Europeans illusory and create a serious situation. The Government is unable to endure such arbitrary action."—*United Press.*

ANOTHER CONDITION

Berlin, Aug. 20.

Another preliminary condition has arisen for Germany's participation in the general Spanish neutrality plan, according to a Government spokesman. He indicated that though negotiations had not been broken off, Germany would require a satisfactory answer from the Spanish Government concerning the Kamerun incident, which must be satisfactorily settled.

Meanwhile, the pocket battleship Admiral Graf Spee, the cruisers Leipzig and Nuremberg, and number of torpedo-boats, commanded by Admiral Bohm, have left Kiel to relieve the other German warships in Spanish waters.

Official circles declare this movement was decided on some time ago. Admiral Rander has flown to Berchtesgaden to confer with Herr Adolf Hitler.—*Reuter.*

BRITISH CONCERN

London, Aug. 20.

Britain takes a serious view of the possibility of failure of the Spanish non-interference negotiations, endangered by the Berlin protest over the Kamerun incident.—*United Press.*

SPANISH BLOCKADE

London, Aug. 20.

Great Britain has asked the Spanish Government for a clearer explanation of the intended blockade.

The Spanish Government some time ago issued a decree declaring a blockade of certain areas in Spanish waters and a second decree has since been issued which has occasioned the British request for a more exact definition. The British Government has hitherto not recognised the blockade.—*Reuter Bulletin Service.*

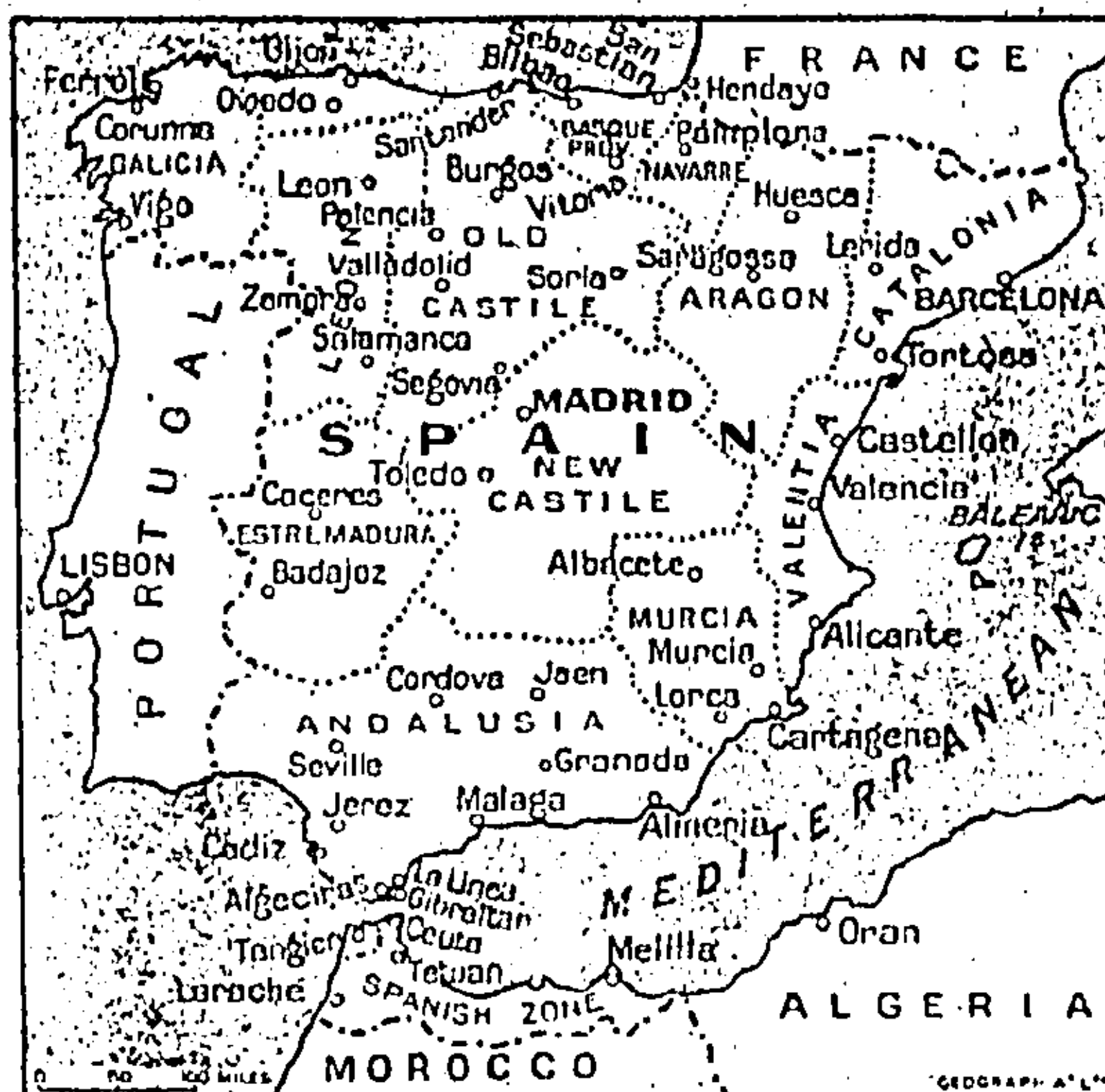
WOLFRAM PRICE ADVANCES AMALGAMATION IN SOUTH CHINA?

London, Aug. 20.

The price of wolfram advanced two shillings to a nominal price of twenty-seven shillings and twenty-eight shillings, on news that negotiations are at present progressing for an amalgamation of South China's two wolfram syndicates.

Pending the outcome of the discussions, both holders and consumers are reluctant to transact business.—*Reuter.*

WHERE RIVAL FORCES FIGHT



The above map shows the cities affected by the major fighting between loyal and rebel forces in Spain today. San Sebastian, near the French border, is closely besieged by rebels and Burgos, further south, is in their hands. There is fighting for Oviedo and Coruna further west. Around Madrid, in central Spain, the rebels continue to press with varying success. There is likely to be heavy fighting around Badajoz in Extremadura, and Cordoba, in Andalusia. Seville, Granada, and Lala also are threatened by rebel columns in the south, but only the first named is in insurgent hands.

JAPAN LIKELY TO PRESS FOR CONCESSIONS MAY HELP CHINA CRUSH SMUGGLING MENACE

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Chinese are interested, and with some concern, watching the peregrinations of the Japanese Ambassador, Mr. Shigeru Kawagoe, in North China, believing his visit will profoundly affect future Sino-Japanese relations.

Well-informed quarters expect Mr. Kawagoe, on his return to Nanking early in September, will renew the Japanese pressure for acceptance of "suggestions" for the reduction of Chinese import tariffs as the price for co-operation in stamping out smuggling which is now not only undermining the entire economic structure of China but is seriously affecting Nanking's revenue in the rich Yangtse Valley, to which smuggled goods are penetrating.

Mr. Kawagoe is convening the North China Japanese military attaches at Tientsin on Saturday which is considered most significant, in view of the general belief that the Ambassador has been in conference with the Japanese Commander-in-Chief in North China and General Takayoshi Matsumura, successor to General Dohara as head of the Special Service Department of the Japanese Army. He also talked with representatives of the Japanese Foreign and Naval Ministries sent especially from Tokyo, indicating that Mr. Kawagoe's visit is an important element in the future of Japanese relations with China.

Observers believe that Japan, having fretfully watched Nanking proceed to liquidate the Kwangtung-Kwangsi situation, is now determined to exert pressure for concessions affecting Sino-Japanese economic relations before Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, now in Canton, can clear up the Kwangsi problem and face foreign affairs with a clean domestic slate, backed by a united country.

Kawagoe's Objectives

The tenor of Mr. Kawagoe's objectives has also been indicated in an interview he gave to the foreign press in Peking when he stated that he had advised General Sun Chieh-yuan, the Chinese leader, to seek Japanese technical and financial aid in the economic development of North China. General Sun is alleged to have agreed in principle.

Mr. Kawagoe is of the opinion that future discussions should be between Chinese and Japanese officials in North China and not at Nanking. Asked if he would insist, on Mr. Koki Hirota's principles, Mr. Kawagoe replied: "If necessary we will negotiate with the Chinese. Government, whether the principles are accepted or not."

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ST. LOUIS CLINGS TO TOP PLACE

CHICAGO GOING INTO DECLINE

New York, Aug. 20.

St. Louis maintained its position at the head of the National League today, winning from Cincinnati, four to two. New York Giants, who are bidding strangely in a late season sprint, were not in action.

Chicago, now thoroughly slumped, was beaten by Pittsburgh Pirates, eight to seven. Pittsburgh is now challenging the Cubs for third place. Pittsburgh hit fifteen times to Chicago's six.

With eleven hits and three runs, Boston defeated Philadelphia, whose six hits yielded one tally.

In the only American League game scheduled, Detroit hit seventeen times against St. Louis Browns, scoring eight runs. St. Louis hit eight and scored four, but with the help of Bill's and Solters' homers.—*Reuter.*

POPE NOT AFFLICTED

Vatican City, Aug. 20.

Questioned about reports that Pope Pius is suffering from rheumatism, a spokesman of the Vatican today said the suggestion was "ridiculous and false."—*United Press.*

OFFICERS ABROAD

Lieut. Col. Ming Ching-woon and Major Lee Yuen-kat of the Chinese General Staff have enquired at the General Staff School here.—*United Press.*

Drip . . . Drip . . . Drip

What's more maddening
than a leaking tap?
Read how to cure it

A LEAKING tap is like a guilty conscience. Its voice oppresses you while you are in the house, the thought of the waste of water torments the mind while you are away.

In nine cases out of ten the trouble is that the washer has gone, and the water continues to drip out of the tap when the handle is screwed right down. It is no use screwing the tap down as far as it will go and thinking it will right itself. A leaking tap always gets worse. The greatest waste of water is caused by screwing taps too tightly. They should always be screwed gently.

KITCHEN taps go wrong more often than others because they are more constantly used. Most kitchen taps are what are called in the plumbing world "plain bibcocks." They work on a similar system, and I am going to tell you how to mend them. On no account try pulling the pieces gland plug tap or spring tap. You can tell at once what sort of tap you have by its appearance. If the tap which you are troubled with has no resemblance to the one in the illustration, do not try to mend it; send for a plumber. Plain bibcocks are sometimes covered up with chromium shields, which unscrew easily.

FIRST you must notice whether it is a hot tap or a cold tap that is defective, for the treatment varies with the water system.

Cold taps are mostly supplied from the main water supply, especially in towns. This means that the cold water does not go into a tank, as the hot water does, but comes straight from the main in the street.

Somewhere in your house there will be a stop cock, that is to say, a tap without a spout, which when screwed down, cuts off the supply of cold water to your house. You must find this and screw it down. It is generally in a fairly obvious position where the water pipes enter your house. Sometimes it is in a hole in the ground and is worked with a key.

When you have turned off the water, turn on the leaking tap full until there is no water left in the pipes.

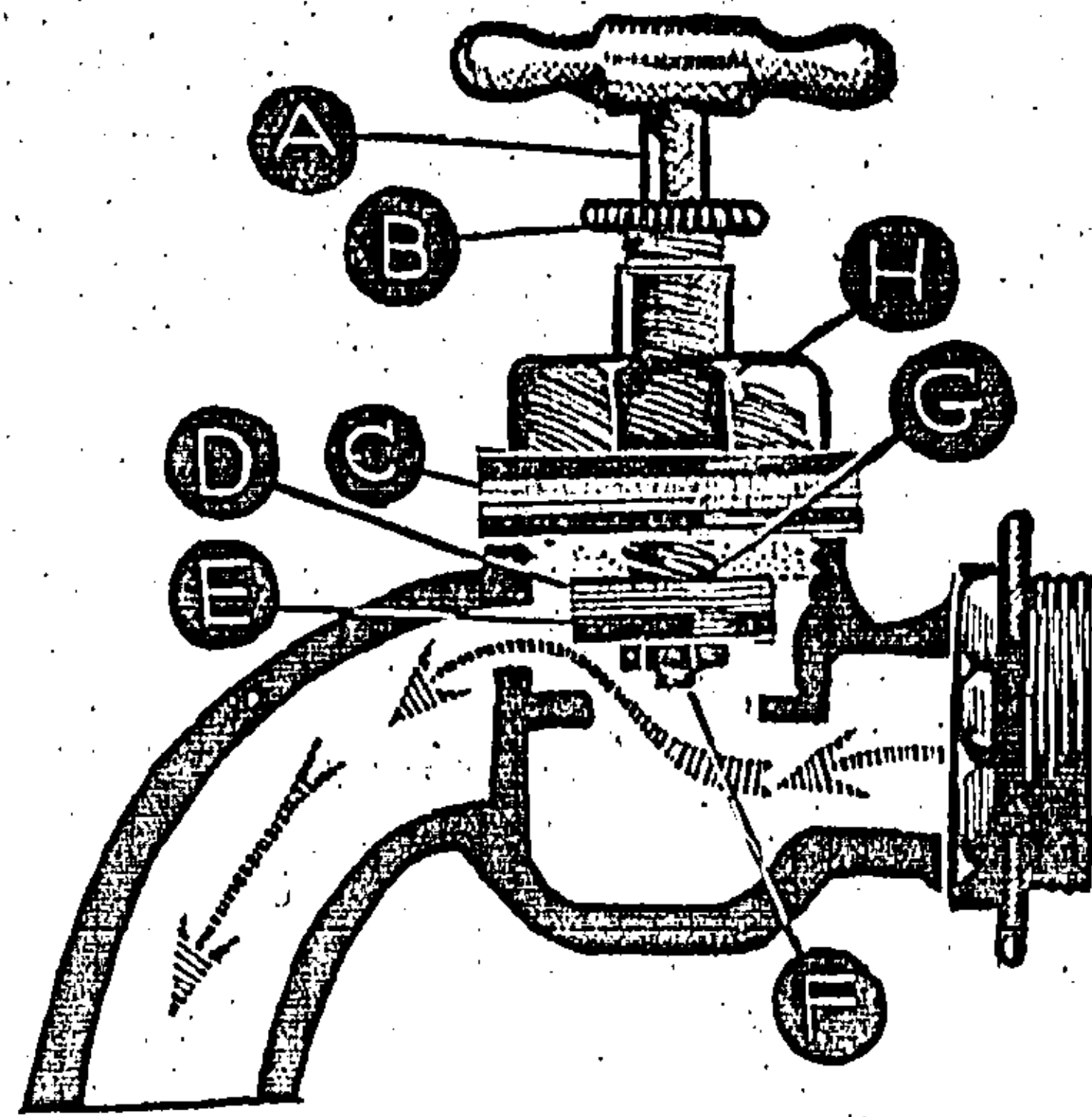


Now you can start fiddling about with the tap. And here you must know how a tap works.

The illustration makes it far clearer than any words of mine. You will see that when the tap is screwed down on the opening no water can well through and out at the spout unless the washer is leaking.

If you screw down the washer too hard on the opening, you may either break the washer or break the jumper.

LET'S set to work to mend the tap. With an adjustable spanner unscrew the cap. Do not confuse the cap with the gland ring. The gland ring is the first screwable thing below the handle, the tap is the second. The cap will probably unscrew in an opposite direction to the handle.



TAP:

- A. Stem.
- B. Gland Ring.
- C. Cap Washer.
- D. Jumper.
- E. Washer.
- F. Jumper Nut.
- G. Spindle.
- H. Cap.

of the tap—that is to say, to the left. Test it gently and see.

When you have unscrewed this you will have in your hand the handle of the tap and an object at the end of it (see illustration on the left) which contains the washer, which is held on by a little nut or possibly, a screw. Undo the nut or screw with a pair of pliers and you will find the washer probably perished or split or torn away.

Remove this and substitute a new washer. Washers are made in two sizes, 1/4 in. and 1/2 in. for large or small taps. Washers cost a penny each from any ironmonger.

When you have fixed the washer of the right size screw up the nut or screw which keeps it in place tightly.

IT is possible, if the tap has been screwed down too hard, that the whole jumper has broken; for instance, the pin may have snapped which holds the washer, and the nut or screw will have disappeared down the pipe with the water.

A new jumper, obtainable at an ironmonger's, should cost about sixpence. You may now have a certain amount of difficulty in keeping the jumper in the socket of the spindle while you are screwing on the cap again.

Rub some soap on the end of the jumper which enters the spindle and it will keep in position. Do not forget when you screw on the cap to put back the leather cap washer.

WHEN you want to repair a hot water tap the procedure with the tap itself is the same as I have described, only you must remember to use a composition washer. But the first step, that of turning off the water at the stopcock, is different.

You will probably find the stopcock of the hot water system is put in front of the tank, so that you have to turn the hot water taps full on and empty the tank before you can set to work to repair the washer.

phite twist, or oily, coarse-looking string. If your tap is giving trouble this twist will be in an emaciated state. Pick it all out with a piece of wire or a bradawl.

YOU can buy special twist for the glands of taps or you can make your own by soaking coarse string or even that thread people use for darning, in motor grease, lard, or tallow. Now wind it round the spindle of the tap and poke it down with a bradawl or piece of wire that will not bend too easily, until the cavity is full. Screw on the gland ring. Do not pack the cavity too tightly.

John Betjeman

• Cut this article out. It will be useful for reference if YOUR tap starts dripping.

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Food and drinks become so rapidly tainted that stomach and intestinal troubles are to be expected in summer. In any case the heat lowers the vitality, reduces appetite and interferes with the digestion so that precautions are necessary. In order to be fit you must keep stomach and bowels clear and clean. The occasional dose of Pinkettes will do this for you pleasantly and naturally. Pinkettes remove any harmful substances eaten before they have time to do harm. As a general all round health-safeguard during the hotter months you cannot use anything finer than Pinkettes. All chemists can supply you.

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ROUND ABOUT by The Showman

THERE are two ways of treating the announcement that motor-car radio is certain to leap into popularity.

One is the purely frivolous, as used by your philosopher—"Is this Progress? What is Progress? Does it betray a mass-dissatisfaction-for-thought neurosis as evidenced by the distraction-demand?" The other is the purely scientific, as used by your Showman who observes facts and deduces therefrom, as follows:—

Goompy Again

WELL, it was in my Abbot's Shorting days when my daughter Goompy used to help me in smithy by nooding ho-horses when I wanted 'em to chime legs while I was shoeing 'em, and a champion nooder she was. Honest, she really was.

One day one of they Lunion fellers left his car outside smithy with radin turned on, and Goompy was in a proper ma-zee. "Eh, wirra wirra!" she said. "Eh, lulla me, lulla deet Feyther, is it the weyther, or be I at the end of my teyther? What makes that voice?"

Please Read On

WELL, the feller happens along first, and tells Goompy 'is nobbut ra-a-a-dio.

"This girl mawleyerummet!" she giggles. "Makin' fun of a simple nooder like 'O! 'The thes ventriloquist!" And with that Goompy gave him a playful noodge in the ribs. Down he went like a wabbling puddock—completely unconscious! I assure you. But the voice went on.

And Goompy, laughed, and laughed and laughed. "Feyther!" she gasped. "He were right! 'This ra-a-a-dio! We mawm buy yit!"

And so we did, and took it in whee-barrer.

This proves, you see, that demonstration is a sales.

SONG FOR WIVES

An expert prophesies a time "when baldness will be quite common, and men will keep their hair until the end of their lives." Meanwhile—

I married him at twenty or maybe twenty-four; Of hair he had a plenty; And whiskers, four, where: I loved him, I loved him, and who shall dare To blame me for loving his handsome hair!

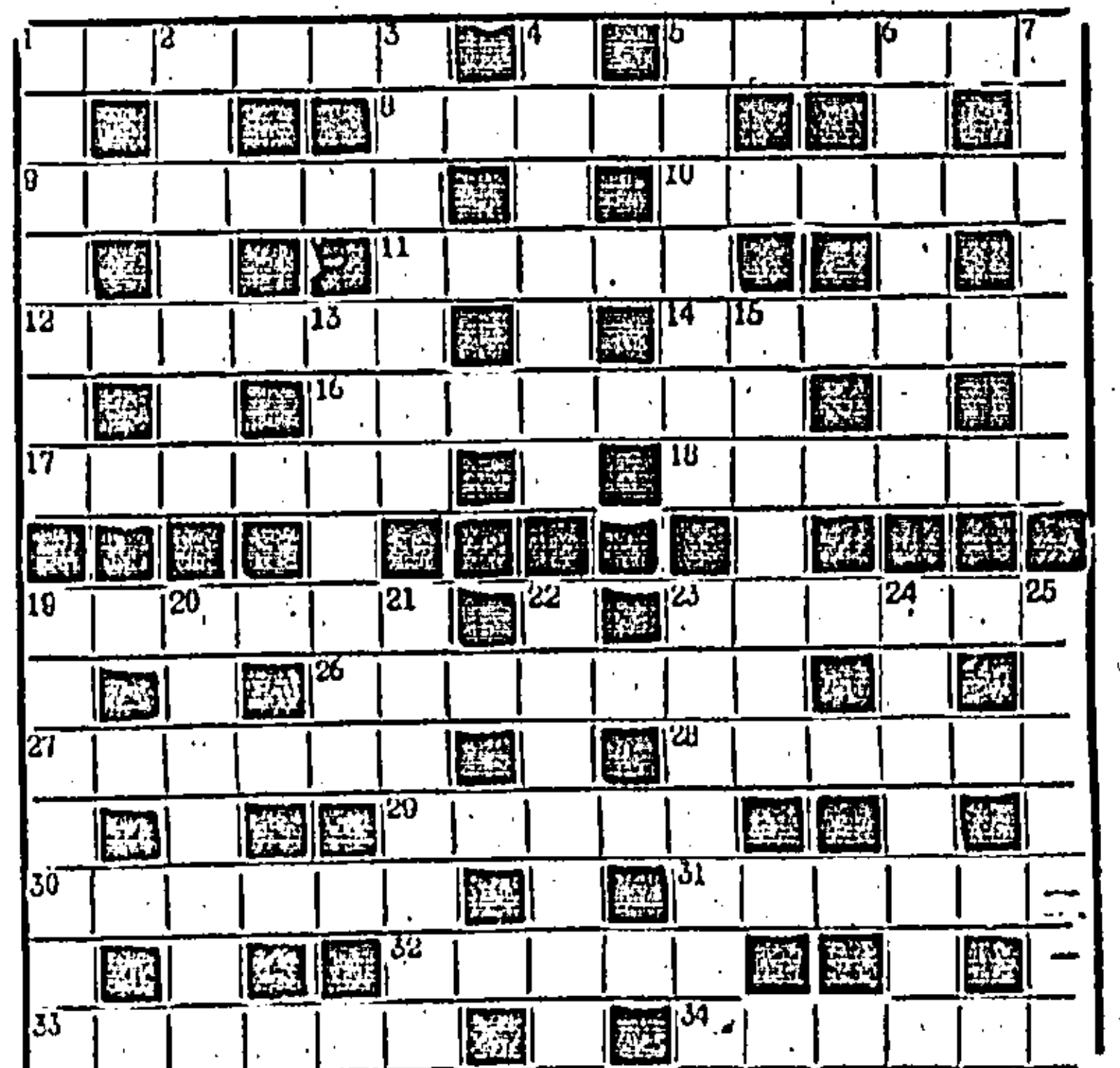
His hair has now been banished By Time's relentless touch; But I don't mourn the vanished, I love him just as much. I love him, I love him, and who shall e'er Me foolish for loving my Billard Ball!

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ACROSS

- 1 A humorist hides a row while going through shallow water.
- 5 More than dislike.
- 6 You are looking at to-day's.
- 8 What a singer might do if upset.
- 10 Hay is, and so is an ear-trumpet.
- 11 Standard measure.
- 12 For a smoker it's all right between a couple of exclamations.
- 14 About a game of golf.
- 16 Ruin an entrance for resort.
- 17 No enthusiastic description of the spiritualist.
- 18 Useful for the conjuror and recognizable in levees.
- 19 With a reddish coating, I and many more are suitable for the country.
- 23 Barbarian.
- 26 They are born in the country.
- 27 Gracious, is it much better than?
- 28 A sorter appears to have recourse to a holiday spot.
- 29 The road-hog doesn't except when he encounters such roads.
- 30 Disregard.
- 31 My neighbour?
- 32 More than usually.
- 33 Call upon to appear.
- 34 Rather vulgar commotion (Hyphen 4 and 2).

DOWN

- 1 Dorset town tells you what to do with clothes.
- 2 Slough?
- 3 Material to keep out the wet.
- 4 Pour oil on the waters.

- 5 Overthrows and what they may have eaten at cricket.
- 6 Rubbing out.
- 7 Might be altered after it has been.
- 13 Possibly killing!
- 15 The time-server obtains it eventually.
- 19 The white variety are mentioned very early next month.
- 20 Word for word.
- 21 Bar that opens with a confession of inability or the opposite.
- 22 Form of ragtime.
- 23 Not a flattering report (Two words 4 and 3).
- 24 Hough to be always inside in such dry weather.
- 25 Blurt out (Two words 3 and 4).

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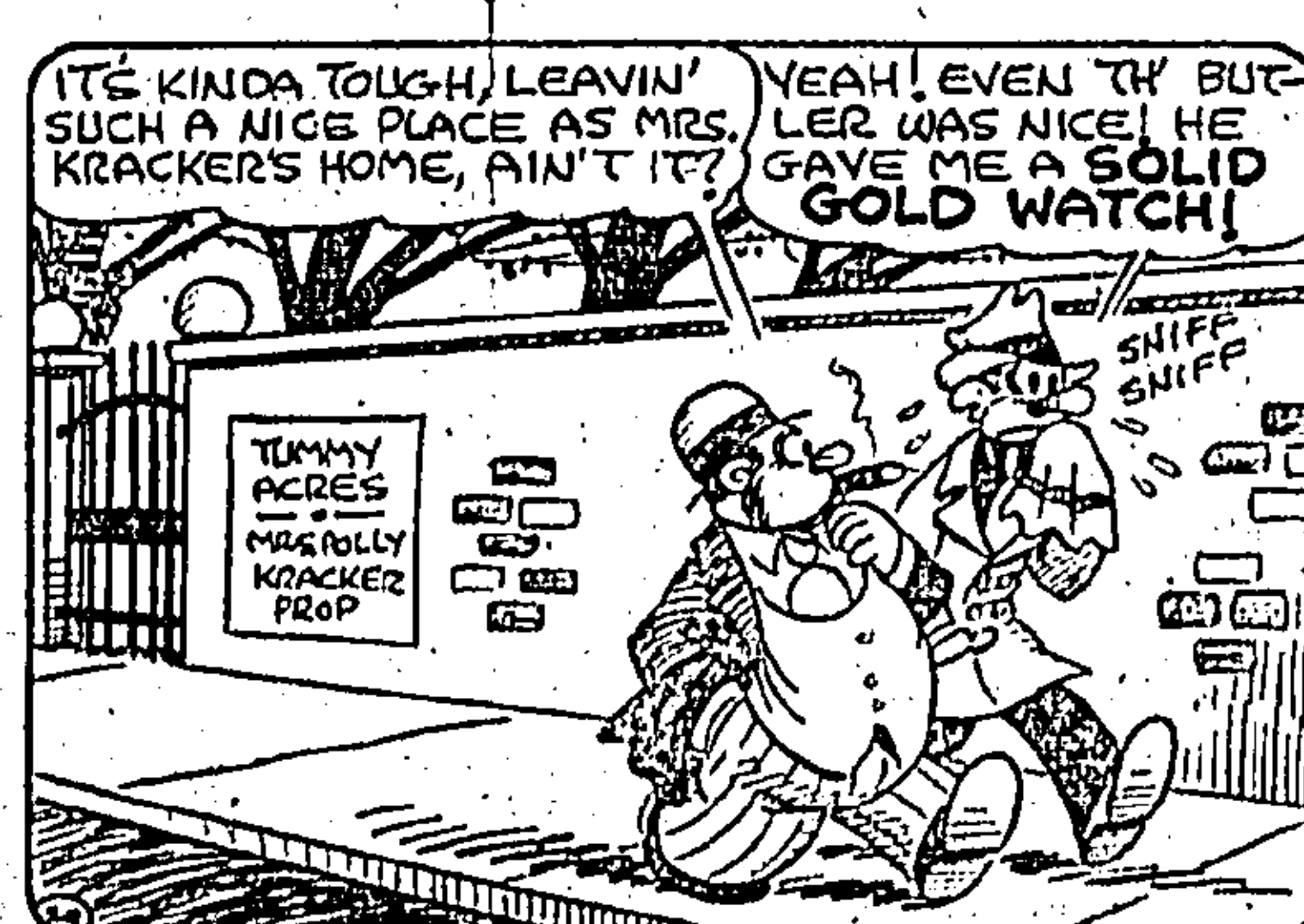
Housewives—do you know

1. What to do with a burned saucepan?
2. Which is the basic sauce for several other sauces? Suggest some variations.
3. How can you ensure that sliced apples and bananas for a fruit salad will not turn brown?
4. You like your table linen only moderately stiff. If you wash it at home, what do you do?

Answers:

1. Boil salt and water in it, then rub the burned spots with a dish-cloth dipped in salt. Now wash in the usual way.
2. A white sauce. First melt a large knob of butter in your saucepan, gradually stir in three-quarters of an ounce of flour, and add a pint of hot milk or stock by degrees. Season and stir over the fire until it boils, then allow it to simmer for ten minutes or more. Given the suitable additions, this sauce may be turned into a mushroom, parsley, shrimp, egg, anchovy or caper sauce.
3. As soon as you have peeled and sliced the fruit, sprinkle the slice with lemon juice. This will keep them white, and, if sugar is also added, will improve the flavour of the salad.
4. You will find that rice water makes an excellent light starch for anything which you require only moderately stiff.

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PARIS TAKES BACK SEAT

(By-GRACE WILSON)

ALL the world is copying the clothes of the Englishwoman. New standards of dress have switched the world fashion centre from Paris to London—and British dress material manufacturers are recording a continued increase in their business.

Last year Britain exported £1,070,000 worth of women's skirts, coats, and dresses—a considerable advance on the year before.

One West Riding manufacturer of worsted costumes cloths has seen his business increase by 300 per cent. in the last year.

Women in all parts of the world are falling in love with the more severe and sensible British styles, as opposed to floral frills, and Paris is being forced to take a back seat.

That was why £77,000 worth of British knitted wear was ordered overseas last year.

America Wants Our Styles

British imported clothes are a luxury in the United States, but this has not stopped the craze among American women to dress "just as the British do."

American retail stores are now sending their buyers to visit London before the Paris displays. They return to America with British models which are copied over and over again.

A representative selection of dresses made by leading British designers has just been taken over to the United States on the Queen Mary by the British fashion group—and New York's most fashionable women have crowded the dress show ever since.

Empire markets are also occupying the attention of the British dressmakers. One famous firm is sending its latest collection to South Africa at the end of our summer season. The South African dress season begins when ours ends.

Trades Benefit

Visitors to London have returned to praise the plain sleek suits, casual coats, and close-fitting dresses which British women have made particular of their own.

The textile and ready-made clothing trades have already felt the advantage of this ever-increasing overseas market. Even in the Middle West of America women are adopting British styles. Comparative figures show that there has been a £40,000 increase in the export of dresses and £20,000 in knitted wear.

Plans are now being made to hold periodical exhibitions in the Empire and foreign countries of typically British styles.

MARY ASTOR'S SHOCK FOR HER EX-HUSBAND

"He was Married When I Married Him"

Los Angeles, Aug. 10.

MISS MARY ASTOR, the film star, has applied to the court here to set aside the divorce granted her husband, Mr. D. H. F. Thorpe, last year, and to declare her marriage null and void.

The grounds of her application are that Mr. Thorpe married her without divorcing another woman.

Her affidavit, filed in support of these charges, does not name the other woman, whose existence Mrs. Astor asserts she only recently discovered.

Miss Astor also asks for the sole custody of her four-year-old daughter, Marilyn—*Reuter*.

Miss Astor's charges against her husband follow closely on a claim she has filed in court for the possession of her daughter.

In this claim, she charges Mr. Thorpe with having coerced her into permitting him to get the divorce, with custody of the child, by threatening that he would "publicly scandalize her" and ruin her career as an actress.

Miss Astor declared that Marilyn has now reached a "formative age, and needs a mother's constant and continuous companionship, love and attention."

One Under the Eight—& One Over

Paris, Aug. 10.

Augustine Fernandez was charged with being drunk and disorderly at Ballouville to-day. He said he was celebrating his birthday.

"Which birthday?" inquired the judge. "You have seven birth certificates, and seem to have been born at various times between 1902 and 1915—at Constantinople, Turin, Bida, Tripoli, Smyrna, Athens and Salonika."

"I take no chances," replied the culprit. "I celebrate them all."

GAS MASKS FOR THE MILLIONS AT HOME



A girl wearing the type of respirator approved for general civilian use in Great Britain. Forty million of these masks are to be made for distribution to the entire civilian population.

Council for Civil Liberties

Simon to be Sent Baton Charge Evidence

ANOTHER attempt is to be made to get the Home Secretary to hold an inquiry into the allegations of brutality made against the police following a baton charge in Thurloe Square, W., on March 22.

The National Council for Civil Liberties has, in Friends House, concluded its investigation into the affair and will now consider its report.

Statements of the various witnesses, the chairman (Prof. Bentwick) said, will be sent to Sir John Simon in the hope that he will belatedly hold an inquiry.

A further invitation to the Commissioner of Police to send witnesses or an observer to the inquiry received only formal acknowledgment.

On the night of the charge a Fascist meeting was being held in the Albert Hall, half a mile away.

Witness recently described to the commission what they saw in Thurloe Square. One said that when the police charged they hit out at everyone they could see.

"MISINFORMED"

Another witness, who said that he was batoned on the head and knocked unconscious, declared that the police made extremely vituperative remarks, and that he saw one mounted policeman chasing a man, and shouting, "I'll get you, you—"

Evidence was also given that a foot policeman seized an elderly woman and held her against some railings.

Referring to a statement by the Home Secretary in the Commons that stones and mud were thrown at the police, the chairman asked one witness if he had seen anything of that sort.

"There was nothing there to throw," was the reply, and in further answer to the chairman said he thought the Home Secretary was misinformed.

A man who declared he was not a police witness said he did not stay for the meeting.

He told the Commission that he spoke to a number of people who told him that they had gone there with the intention of entering the Albert Hall and breaking up the meeting.

"As far as I saw anything of the police, they were very courteous and considerate," he said.

Members of the Commission, in addition to the chairman, were: Mr. Harrison Harrow, Professor F. M. Cornford, Miss Eleanor Rathbone, M.P., and Mr. J. D. Priestley.

PUREST IRON WORTH MORE THAN GOLD

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Although man has had the use of iron for 5,000 years, "pure" iron has only just been made—by the National Physical Laboratory at Teddington. It is softer than copper, and as valuable as gold. It is also more highly magnetic than is normal iron.

The Teddington iron is believed to be nearly 99.99 per cent. pure. No fewer than 32 different chemical elements, which might be present as impurities, have been tested for, and between them they account for only .013 per cent.

The laboratory's reason for going to all this trouble to make virtually pure iron is to enable an accurate study to be made of the effects of adding very small amounts of other metals to it. The two last and most vital steps in the Teddington formula for making it are as follows:

First, iron, in powdered form, already as pure as it can otherwise be made, is heated in an atmosphere of hydrogen to drive the last traces of oxygen from it. The heating is done in specially-made vessels of pure alumina, and an electric furnace is used.

Finally, when all the oxygen has been removed, the iron is again heated in a vacuum to remove any hydrogen which it has dissolved during the previous process.

Under laboratory conditions, a price of 5s. a gram represents as near an estimate as possible of the cost, in time and trouble, of making pure iron. The present price of gold is about 4s. 10d. a gram.

On the other hand, it is pointed out that if there were ever any serious commercial demand for pure iron, it could be made very much more cheaply, in spite of its extreme initial softness, it can be easily hardened by rolling.

RANCHER-EARL WANTS TO LIVE IN LONDON

Switzerland's "First Seaport"

Basle, Aug. 5.

Switzerland's first "seaport" was officially inaugurated here by the arrival from London of the 500-ton freighter Bernina—the first merchant vessel from overseas to enter Swiss waters.

The Bernina is also the first Swiss-owned merchant vessel to sail the seas.

With her sister ship the Alpha, she will maintain a service between Basle and London and Gothenburg, via the Rhine and the North Sea.

Basle, at the terminal for river traffic on the Rhine, has become one of the most important inland harbours of the world.

Plans are before the Swiss Government for the development of a similar port at Geneva.

Cothes To Fit Our Characters

You will be interested to learn that English tailors cut cloth not only according to their patrons' figures but also to their characters.

The authority for the statement is the London correspondent of a Berlin paper.

He is brave, this reporter of fashions.

He dares to say that: Green hats, goloshes and straw hats are just not worn, that they are beyond the pale, and sported only by cats and dandies, or—in the case of goloshes—only by "relics of the last century."

He also insists that there is a distinct falling-off in the wearing of plus fours.

Despite all this, England, he says, still leads the world in men's fashions.

BRIGHTER STREETS The editor of the "Tallor and Cutter" had these comments to make: "Most men seem to own a green hat and it certainly brightens the streets. Naturally, care must be taken with what suits it is worn."

"As for the straw hat—well, so much depends on the weather."

"And few people wear goloshes nowadays."

The point about the green hat ranks. It's the commonest colour for headgear in Germany, anyway.

Triplet Girls After Triplet Boys

Berlin, Aug. 10.

The wife of Dr. Fritz Witten, a medical man in Stroebeck, near Halberstadt, who had already presented her husband with triplets (all boys), has now again had triplets.

This time all three are girls—*Exchange*.

Such Fun (AND SUCH BEER) In The Old Country

(By A Special Correspondent) Calgary (Alberta), Aug. 15.

The twenty-two-year-old Earl of Egmont chewed a matchstick as he talked to me to-day.

A two-day growth of beard stubbled his chin. He wore a wide-brimmed sombrero.

I had driven out to his ranch to ask him if he intends returning to England—found him loading a truck with timber.

The answer to my question—"Yes"—was supplied by the countess, formerly Miss Ann Geraldine Moodie, his cousin.

"I'm going to get Freddie to England next year," she said, "even if I've got to hodge him."

She told me this as her husband disappeared kitchenwards in search of drinks.

Lady Egmont went on: "Freddie wanted to go to England immediately after we married, but I was afraid of the ocean crossing."

"Now I am anxious to be there for the Coronation, and for a visit to our English home."

A BATTLE He wants to sell up in Canada before we go to England, but I do not want him to do that. So we're having a battle.

At this moment the countess's sister, Miss Moodie, entered with a tray holding bottles of beer and tumblers.

The rancher-earl followed her with another tray.

Lady Egmont, confided to me: "Freddie loves beer since he visited England. He drinks it at every meal—even with breakfast."

Lord Egmont interposed: "Yes, but it isn't like the beer in the old country. There's no strength in it."

He proudly displayed the silver tray he had carried in.

"I brought this from the ancestral home," he said. "See, there's a crest on it. It must be a hundred years old."

Lady Egmont said to me: "Ever since Freddie came back from England he has been dissatisfied with Canada."

Her husband said: "Well, you can have fun in the old country."

The countess replied: "O.K. We'll go after Christmas, but I won't have you selling up in Canada."

THE NEXT EARL I want little Freddie, our two-year-old son, to be educated in England," she explained. "He will have to carry on his father's title one day and I want him fitted for it."

"Yes," she said. "We shall come to England next year, but we shall be very secretive about it."

Another Italian column is operating in eastern Abyssinia and is endeavouring to clear up the ranges which flank the Addis Ababa-Jibuti railway.

Heroic History for Aryans

Munich, Aug. 12.

History teaching in colleges and universities in South Germany is to be revolutionised "in order to make the student useful to the State."

Bavaria's recently-formed Ministry of Culture orders that "instruction" be confined to a grand historical outline, and all past events made useful to the present situation of our nation.

"The formation of our 100,000,000-German people, both inside and outside the Reich boundaries must be made clear to the student."

"Emphasis must be laid on the Teutonic spirit, race, the Fuehrer-idea, and defence, in order to build up a heroic philosophy."—*Reuter*.

Miss Sheila MacDonald Turns Tutor

MISS SHEILA MACDONALD, twenty-five-year-old daughter of Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, has sailed for St. Vincent, West Indies, to become a tutor.

Miss Isabel MacDonald, licensee of the Plough Inn, Flowers Bottom, near Speen, Bucks, said at her father's Hampstead home:

"Sheila goes as tutor to the two daughters, aged fourteen and sixteen, of Mr. Arthur Albin Wright, Administrator of the Colony, and Mrs. Wright."

"She first met their parents in Fiji. Mr. Wright was Secretary for Native Affairs there."

FIXING FRONTIERS OF ABYSSINIA WORK ON KENYA BORDER

Rome, Aug. 17.

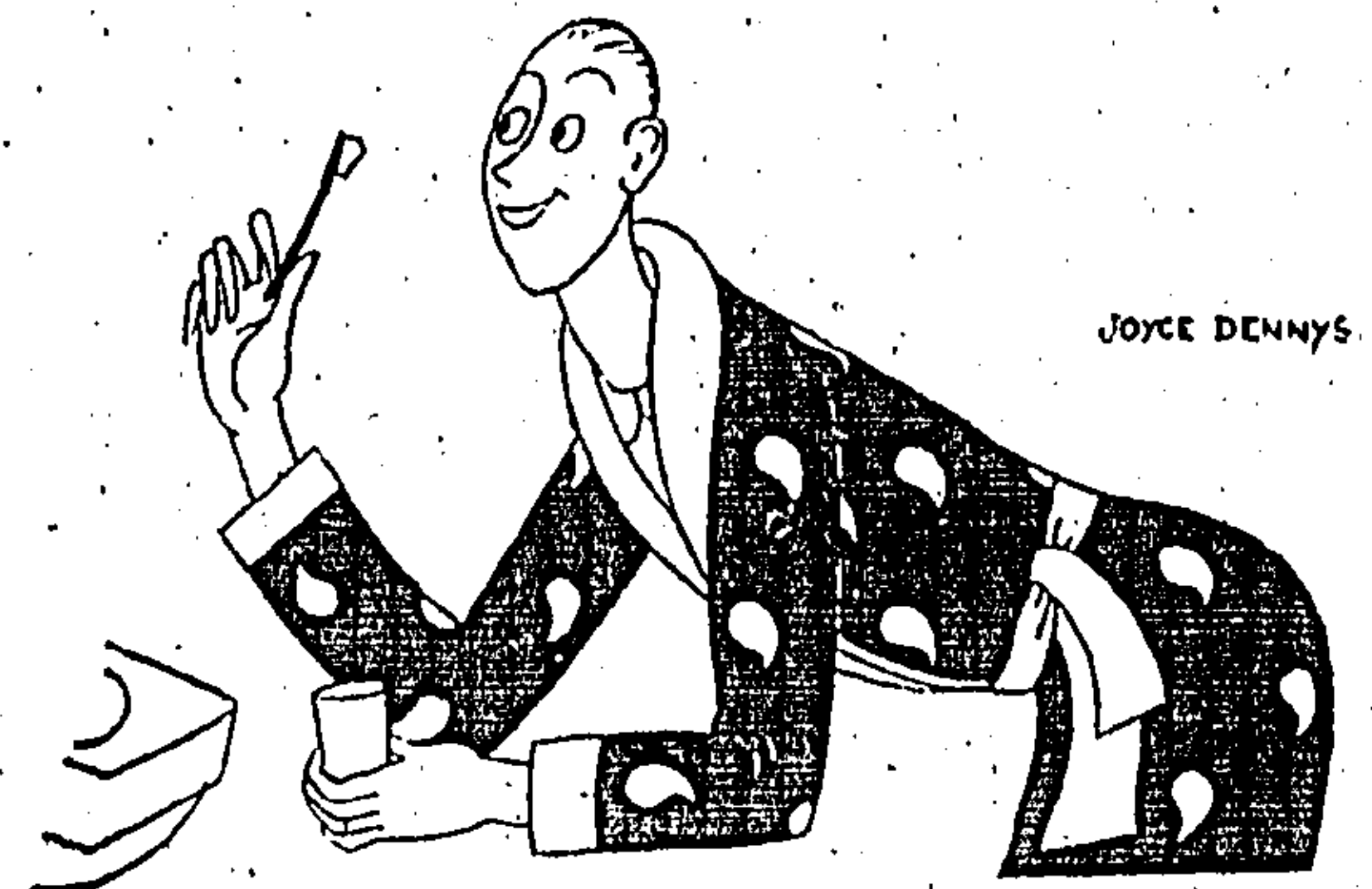
An Italian column under General Geloso is reported to have completed a survey and occupation of the southern regions of Abyssinia, along the Kenya frontier.

Entering the Galla Sidamo Province, the column set up a local government at Dawa Parma, and then moved eastwards along the northern edge of the Kenya borderland. Moving inland, the Italians occupied Mega, a town of strategic importance in the Boran, controlling the traffic routes between Kenya and the lake district.

South of that, at the frontier station of Moyale, contact was made with the British outpost.

"Having exactly fixed the territorial and traffic demarcation lines between Ethiopia and the British possession," General Geloso has turned north to enter the Lake Margarita territory and has already reached Javello.

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Amateur Photographic Competition

Details have been unavoidably crowded out of this edition but the list of sections, rules and Entry Form are printed below.

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- The right to publish any or all of the entries in the Telegraph is reserved.
- Photographs which have been already entered in local competitions are ineligible.
- At the conclusion of the Competition, entries will be returned to competitors on application at this Office within seven days.
- No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery, loss or damage.
- Photographs must not be less than Post-card size (excepting in the Children's Section) and the entry form should be lightly pasted on the back.
- No correspondence will be entered into in connection with the Competition.
- Entries in the Children's Section must bear the name, age and address on the entry form countersigned by a parent.
- No employee or member of any firm in the photographic trade is permitted to compete.
- Members of the Staffs of the Hongkong Telegraph and the South China Morning Post are not permitted to compete.
- The decision of the Judges shall be final.

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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE MARKET IRREGULAR YESTERDAY

New York, Aug. 20. — Swan, Culbertson & Fritz Dow Jones summary of yesterday's market: "The market to-day was dull and irregular, with the majority of issues registering declines. Dealings, however, became lighter on the decline, but some support appeared before the close of the session. Business reports continued favourable and there is nothing in the news that would adversely affect the market, which requires some unusual stimulus to shake off the lethargy. Steel, copper, silver, and railroad stocks declined. Rubber shares advanced, led by Goodrich issues. The market for bonds was mixed, whilst stocks on the Curb Exchange were irregularly lower.

S. C. & F. New York office cables: Stocks. The market was irregular, but it maintained a firm tone. The Corn Products Refining Company has advanced the bulk of its prices by 20 cents and packaged goods by 10 cents per hundredweight.

Cotton: It is rumoured that two prominent cotton authorities have reduced their estimates of the crop by 600,000 bales in comparison with the last report issued by these authorities. This is due to the fact that there have been no rains in the South-West.

Wheat: The mill and foreign market are quiet. Active ploughing is reported in the South-West, in spite of the dryness. Snow & Company estimate the Canadian wheat crop at 225,000,000 bushels.

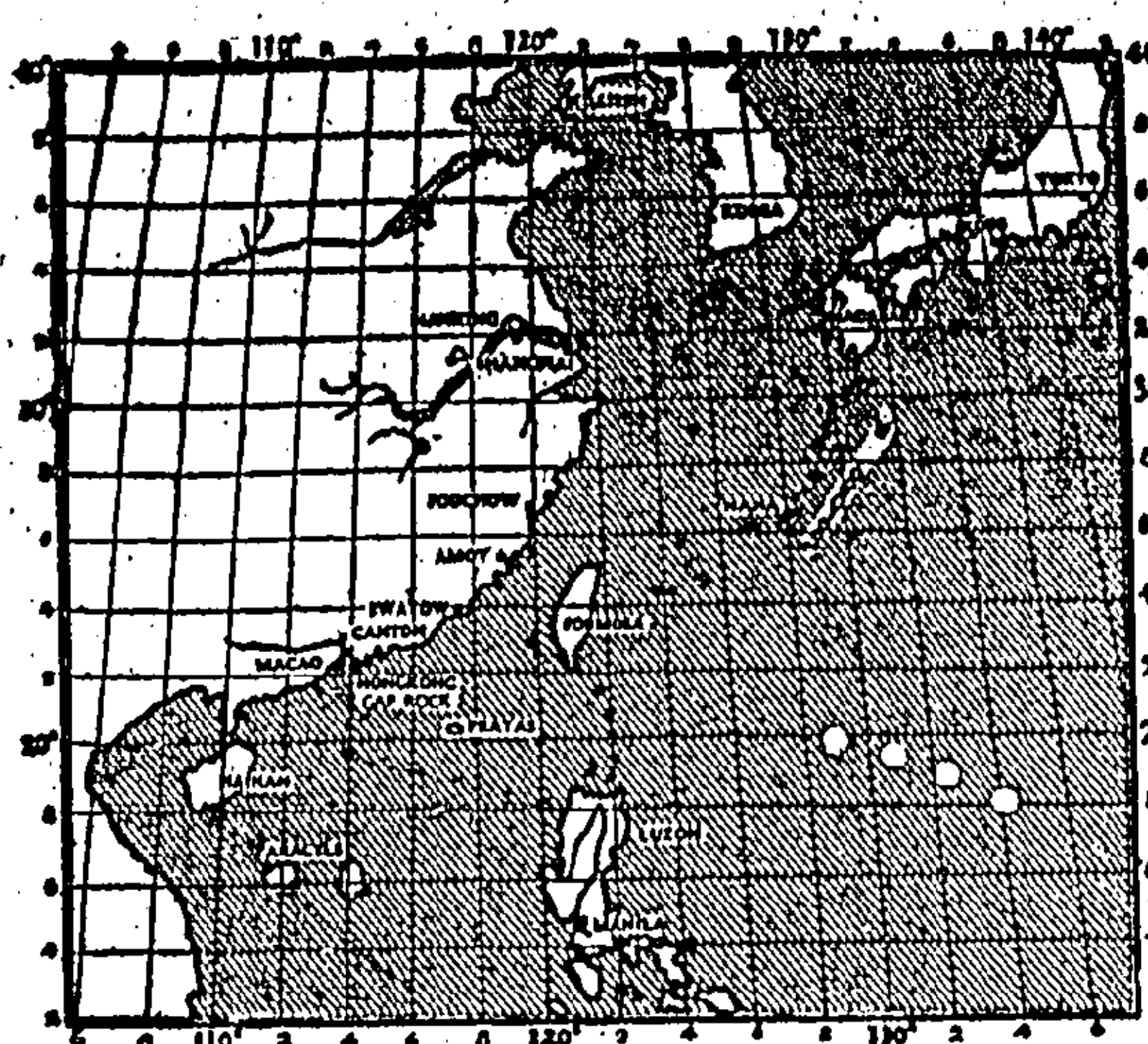
Corn: Rains in the East and scattered showers in the West may not help corn materially, but the feed crops should derive some benefit. Cash demand is less urgent and there is more talk of the probability of large Argentine imports. Sentiment is more bullish and sellers are cautious, due to the underlying strength of the cash position.

S. C. & F. Wall Street Journal morning comment: "Some brokers are still strongly bullish in railroad stocks. Brokers' report that to-day witnessed some European buying here for the first time in the last couple of weeks. Investors are buying preferred issues of steel securities. The July railroad earnings' statements are expected to stimulate an advance in rails. The entire steel outlook is satisfactory, possibly with the exception of the labour situation."

REUTER QUOTATIONS

Dow Jones Averages:
Aug. 19, Aug. 20.
30 Industrials 166.04 165.59
20 Rails 54.07 53.63
20 Utilities 34.77 34.54
40 Bonds 103.84 103.83
11 Commodity Index 67.60 68.30

TRACK OF LATEST TYPHOON



The Manila Observatory reports at 8.40 a.m. to-day that the typhoon is situated in about 129 Long. 20 Lat. N., moving W.N.W. White dots show the track.

CINEMA NOTES

A new star team of irresistible lovers tops the film horizon as George Raft and Rosalind Russell step out arm-in-arm together in the grand new 20th Century comedy romance, "It Had to Happen," coming to the King's Theatre. With Raft playing the part of an irresistible lover, and Miss Russell a lady who thought she was too ritzy for romance, "It Had to Happen" is a pulse-pounding romance of two people who found the world well-lost for love. In its unconventional style, this picture, adapted from the Rupert Hughes story, throws the stars together as they are nearing New York on a ship. Miss Russell is a slick and lovely heiress to many millions, and Raft is a poor immigrant lad coming to the land of promise with but a few apert as any two people can be. From his first glimpse of this lovely vision, Raft knows just what it is America holds for him. So with courage and skill and honesty he emerges in three years as the political lord of a big city. There have been a number of women who have welcomed him, but only the while he keeps the vision of the glamorous distant beauty. Then things play into his hands. Miss Russell's husband, Alan Dinehart, is involved in a fraudulent deal in a big bank, now threatened with collapse. He offers Raft a bribe to get him out of the jam, but Raft refuses the money and forces Dinehart to make restitution to the bank. With an increasing distaste for the cowardly behaviour of Dinehart on one hand, and a growing love for the tempestuous Raft on the other, Miss Russell wavers. And Carroll views the whole business with a humorous disbelief. But it is in the gripping surprise climax, when Raft himself is threatened with destruction by his political enemies, that Miss Russell shows her true colours and comes through for the man who was masterful enough to win her heart. Roy Del Ruth, who brought the picture, "Thanks a Million" to the screen, directed the production of "It Had to Happen," under the personal supervision of Darryl F. Zanuck. Prominent in the supporting cast are Arline Judge, Andrew Tombes and Arthur Hohl.

"The Case Against Mrs. Ames" Two of the most drama-packed situations which can enter any woman's life engulf Madeleine Carroll, sensational English actress, in the title role of Walter Wanger's "The Case Against Mrs. Ames," her first American picture. In the film, opening to-day at the Star Theatre, Mrs. Ames is first charged with the murder of her husband, then faced with loss of her only child through a court action. Miss Carroll appears as the beautiful wife of a California million-

WATER LEVELS STATE OF RIVERS IN KWANGTUNG

The following returns have been issued by the River Conservancy Commission for Kwangtung Province, showing the water levels in English feet at the places of observation named:—

	High	Low	Record	Lowest	Record
West River at Wuchow	70.6	2.5	52.2	—	—
West River at Shihling	41.0	0	31.3	—	—
North River at Tsinan	16.0	0	4.9	7.1	—
North River at Shanghai	27.6	5	19.7	18.8	—
East River at Shikung	15.5	2.7	1.1	3.2	—

Mr. John R. Morris, Far Eastern manager for the United Press Association, arrived in Canton yesterday by plane from Shanghai. After a few days there he will come to Hongkong.

A dinner dance will be held on the open roof of Repulse Bay Luncheonette Hotel in the event of bad weather, on Saturday, August 22, at 9 p.m., and the usual tea dance will be held on Sunday, at 5 p.m., at Repulse Bay Hotel.

aire socialite, who is found fatally shot under circumstances which damn her as the murderer. She is brought to trial, defended by Alan Mowbray, a prominent attorney retained for her by one of her most bitter enemies—the wealthy and powerful mother of the slain husband. From the moment of the story's opening, during the sensational court trial, things happen with terrific rapidity. Suddenly realising that her own attorney is seemingly pulling his punches in her defence, Miss Carroll dramatically asks the court to permit her to tell her own story. The trial over, Miss Carroll still stands accused of the murder in the eyes of the nation. Her first ordeal is followed immediately by the second, a court fight by her mother-in-law for custody of her child, "5,000,000 gold baby" who stands to inherit the Ames fortune. Even more bitter and packed with drama than the murder trial, the contest for the son brings startling results. George Brent, co-starred with Miss Carroll, has been her most fiery opponent. He vows that he will "bust the Ames case wide open" and produce new evidence of Miss Carroll's guilt. He tries—and the case is broken wide open in another fashion. An excellent cast of featured players supports the stars in Miss Carroll's first American film. Listed are such names as Arthur Treacher, Alan Baxter, Beulah Bondi, Alan Mowbray, Brenda Fowler, Esther Dale, Edward Brophy, Richard Carle and Scotty Beckett.

POST OFFICE.

PARCEL POST.

A schedule of revised parcel post rates is exhibited in the Parcel Office at the General Post Office. The rates will take effect at once.

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Saloon-Marseilles (Air Orient) via Saigon
Singapore-Australia
Chinese Domestic Air Service

Correspondence will be accepted for transmission by these services. Rates and all particulars are shown in the schedules exhibited at the Post Offices. All letters etc. must be marked "By Air Mail."

VIA SIBERIA ROUTE

Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

INWARD MAILS

Japan Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London date, 3rd August)	Asama Maru August 21.
Haiphong	Canton August 21.
Haiphong	G. G. Paul Doumer August 21.
Japan and Shanghai	General Lee August 21.
Shanghai	Gneisenau August 21.
Japan and Shanghai	Kalsang-Ji-Hind August 21.
Saloon	Tres. Doumer August 21.
Straits	Toba Maru August 21.
Shanghai and Swatow	Eokuyo Maru August 22.
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 1st August)	Conte Verde August 22.
Japan	Kwangtung August 22.
Shanghai and Amoy	Pres. Jefferson August 22.
Manila	Montevideo Maru August 23.
Calcutta and Straits	Tainan August 23.
Straits	Achilles August 24.
Shanghai	Pres. Cleveland August 24.
Almarral by "Imperial Airways direct Service"—London date 15th August	Salsang August 24.
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 8th August)	Cremer August 25.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 7th August)	Hector August 25.
Amoy	R.M.A. Dorado August 25.
Straits	Emp. of Asia August 27.
Japan	Pres. Coolidge August 27.
Japan and Shanghai	Sidhanna August 27.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 31st July)	Tango Maru August 27.
Straits	Tokio Maru August 27.
Java and Manila	Inkodate Maru August 28.
Straits and Manila	Inkozaki Maru August 28.
Japan	Pres. Monroe August 28.
Japan	Haruna Maru August 29.
Japan	Tjikrang August 29.
Japan	Agamemnon August 30.
Japan	Nosho Maru August 30.
Japan	Camo Maru August 31.
Japan	Tanda August 31.

OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time.
	Friday.	
Foochow via Swatow	Hupei	Fri., Aug. 21, 2.30 p.m.
Dangkok	Mabell	Fri., Aug. 21, 2.30 p.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Pres. Doumer	Fri., Aug. 21, 2.30 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hupei	Fri., Aug. 21, 3 p.m.
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Hing	Fri., Aug. 21, 4 p.m.
Manila, "Straits and Europe via Marseilles—Parcels only for Germany via Hamburg"	Gneisenau	Fri., Aug. 21.
	G.P.O. & K.P.O.	
	Reg.,	Aug. 21, 3.45 p.m.
	Letters,	Aug. 21, 4.30 p.m.
	Saturday	
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia	Conte Verde	Sat., Aug. 22, 9.30 a.m.
Letters for "K.L.M. Service"—due Kaiser-I-Hind	due Kaiser-I-Hind	Sat., Aug. 22, 10 a.m.
Amsterdam, 31st August.	Reg.,	Aug. 22, 9.30 a.m.
	Letters,	Aug. 22, 10 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, E. and S. Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles.	G. P. O. & K. P. O.	Sat., Aug. 22.
	Parcels,	Aug. 21, 3 p.m.
	Reg.,	Aug. 22, 9.45 a.m.
	Letters,	Aug. 22, 10.30 a.m.
Haiphong	Canton	Sat., Aug. 22, 2 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Jefferson	Sat., Aug. 22, 4.30 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, E. and S. Africa.	Montevideo Maru	Sat., Aug. 22, 5 p.m.
	Sunday.	
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canton Maru	Sun., Aug. 23, 9 a.m.
Hoihow	Mulnam	Sun., Aug. 23, 9 a.m.
	Monday.	
Fort Bayard, Hoihow, Pakhoi and Amoy	G. G. Paul Doumer	Mon., Aug. 24, 1 p.m.
	Sinkiang	Mon., Aug. 24, 3.30 p.m.
	Tuesday.	
Davao	Tjikembang	Tues., Aug. 25, 9.30 a.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kwangtung	Tues., Aug. 25, 1.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, "Canada and Europe via San Francisco and Europe via Siberia (Due San Francisco, 15th Sept.)"	Pres. Cleveland	Tues., Aug. 25.
	Parcels,	Aug. 25, 4 p.m.
	Reg.,	Aug. 25, 5 p.m.
	Letters,	Aug. 25, 5.30 p.m.
	Wednesday.	
Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles.	G. P. O. & K. P. O.	Wed., Aug. 26.
	Reg.,	Aug. 26, 9.45 a.m.
	Letters,	Aug. 26, 10.30 a.m.
Straits and Calcutta	Islami	Wed., Aug. 26.
	Parcels,	Aug. 26, 1 p.m.
	Letters,	Aug. 26, 2 p.m.
Foochow via Swatow	Fooshing	Wed., Aug. 26, 2.30 p.m.
Amoy	Tsinan	Wed., Aug. 26, 4.30 p.m.
	Thursday	
Manila	Emp. of Asia	Thurs., Aug. 27, 3.30 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Coolidge	Thurs., Aug. 27, 5 p.m.

*Superscribed correspondence only.

TYPHOON PHOTOGRAPHS

COPIES OF PHOTOGRAPHS OF TYPHOON DAMAGE SCENES, RECENTLY PUBLISHED IN THE "SOUTH CHINA MORNING POST" AND "THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH", MAY BE OBTAINED AT THE OFFICE OF THE "S. C. M. POST"



George Raft and Rosalind Russell in "It Had to Happen," showing to-day at the King's Theatre.



Sylvia Sydney, Fred MacMurray and Henry Fonda in Paramount's entire technicolor super-production, "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," showing at the Queen's and Alhambra Theatres from to-morrow.

EXCHANGE		EXCHANGE RATES		RAILWAY LOOP LINE	
Selling		Aug. 19.		PARLEYS NOW IN PROGRESS	
T.T.	1.21	Paris	76.29/64	Aug. 20.	76.27/64
Demand	1.21	Geneva	15.44		15.42 1/2
T.T. Shanghai	102 1/2	Berlin	12.50 1/2		12.50
T.T. Singapore	52 1/2	Athens	529		529
T.T. Japan	105 1/2	Milan	63 1/2		63 1/2
T.T. India	31 1/2	Oslo	10.90		10.90
T.T. U.S.A.	31 1/2	Shanghai	1/2.13/32	1/2.13/32	
T.T. Manila	62 1/2	New York	5.03 1/2	5.03 1/2	
T.T. Batavia	153	Amsterdam	7.41	7.41	
T.T. Bangkok	150 1/2	Venice	26 1/2	26 1/2	
T.T. Saigon	46.11/16	Prague	121 1/2	121 1/2	
T.T. France	3.47 1/2	Madrid	10	10	
T.T. Germany	56 1/2	Lisbon	101 1/2	101 1/2	
T.T. Switzerland	35	Hongkong	1/2.29/32	1/2.29/32	
T.T. Australia	1.65 1/2	Bombay	1/6 1/2	1/6 1/2	
T.T. Lisbon	156 1/2	Brussels	29.83	29.82 1/2	
Buying		Montreal	5.03 1/2	5.03 1/2	
4 m/s. L/C. London	1.3 1/2	Yokohama	1/2.1/64	1/2.1/64	
4 m/s. D/P. do	1.3 1/2	Silver (forward)	10 1/2	10 1/2	
4 m/s. L/C. U.S.A.	1.3 1/2	Silver (spot)	10 1/2	10 1/2	
4 m/s. France	3.47 1/2	War Loan	100 1/2	100 1/2	
20 d/s. India	33 1/2				
U.S. Cross rate in London	5.62				

WOULD-BE PILOTS CRASH WANTED TO FLY TO SPAIN

London, Aug. 20.

The importance of the measures the Government has taken to secure the enforcement of prohibition on export of aircraft to Spain, imposed yesterday, was underlined by an incident which occurred at Portsmouth Aerodrome a few hours before the issue of the Air Ministry's warning to pilots. A statement made public later by Airspeed, Limited, describes what occurred.

"Early to-day two wood-working employees of this company went into a hangar on the Portsmouth Aerodrome and took out a Courier aeroplane, the property of the company. Neither of the men was a pilot. In this aeroplane they attempted to take off from the aerodrome but hit an obstruction on the boundary and crashed. Both men are seriously injured."

Subsequent to the accident one of the men said they took the machine with the intention of flying to Spain.

"We take this opportunity of stating the act was entirely unauthorised by this company which had no knowledge or cognisance of this foolhardy attempt."—British Wireless.

TWO CANDIDATES FOR U.S. POST

MR. HSU MO MAY BE AMBASSADOR

Shanghai, Aug. 21.

With the Ambassador to the United States, Mr. Alfred Sze, due to return to China in the autumn on long furlough, probably leading to his retirement, it is learned that Mr. Hsu Mo is a likely candidate for the Washington post as well as Dr. C. T. Wang.

Mr. Hsu is at present Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs. He received his M.A. at George Washington University in 1912 was formerly an attaché of the Chinese Legation in Washington and was Secretary of the Chinese Delegation to the Washington Disarmament Conference.

Meanwhile, the Soviet has approved the selection of Dr. Chiang Ting-fu to succeed Mr. W. W. Yen at Moscow and this appointment will be gazetted shortly.—United Press.

JAPAN LIKELY TO PRESS FOR CONCESSIONS

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not to refer economic questions to Nanking.

Smuggling Curable

Mr. Kawagoe admitted the smuggling in North China, but added that it was curable through the revision of "improper" tariffs.

Meanwhile, from Kuling, where the Executive Yuan is meeting, word of exemption from the new Chinese income tax by foreign diplomatic officials and foreign nationals of less than one year's residence, whose income does not originate in China, has been received. However, these exemptions apply only to diplomats and nationals of countries extending the same treatment to Chinese abroad.

The Executive Yuan also voted to collect income tax on salaries and other remunerations of public functionaries and on the interest derived from various Government bonds and savings deposits, effective October 1. Other collections start January 1, 1937.—United Press.

ZINOVIEFF EXPOSES PLOTTERS

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regarding the speeding up of terrorist action against Stalin.

Replying to the Attorney-General, Kamenoff confirmed his leading role in the organisation of the assassination of M. Kiroff in Petrograd. The attempt to kill Stalin was to be made last May Day, during the demonstrations in the Red Square.

STUDENTS INVOLVED

According to the testimony of Oidberg, another of the accused, simultaneous attempts were to be made on the lives of other Soviet leaders in Leningrad (Petrograd) and Rief. He had prepared a bomb and had arranged with student supporters of Trotsky to throw it when they were marching past Stalin in Red Square. A last-minute arrest prevented the plot being carried out.

The Attorney-General produced what he described as a Trotsky document, containing the words, "Stalin must be destroyed."

The prosecution is making determined efforts to prove there is a link between Nazi Germany and the alleged Trotsky-Zinovieff plot.—Reuter.

U.S. VETERAN PASSES

San Antonio, Aug. 20.

Col. Millard F. Waltz, 70, Chief of Staff of the expedition to Cuba and who served in the Philippines campaign, died to-day.—United Press.

Pilots Warned By Ministry NO MORE PLANES FOR SPAIN

London, Aug. 20.

Unilateral action of the British Government, to make effective the essentials of a non-intervention pact in the Spanish Civil War, in anticipation of a general agreement among interested powers on proposals drawn up by the French Government, was carried a stage further this afternoon when the Air Ministry issued the following announcement:

"In view of the decision of the Government to prohibit export of aircraft to Spanish possessions and the Spanish zone of Morocco, any pilot convicted of an offence against the Air Navigation Order or Customs Acts by reason of having made a false declaration to customs authorities in respect of destination or other particulars of aircraft, will come under consideration of the Secretary for Air with a view to cancellation or suspension of his pilot's licence."

"All pilots are warned that a serious view will be taken of any attempt to deliver aircraft directly or indirectly to Spain or the above-mentioned territories in evasion of the Government prohibition."—British Wireless.

UNEMPLOYED AGED RANGE

WHAT LATEST RETURNS SHOW

London, Aug. 20.

A half-yearly analysis of the age distribution of unemployed men and women, made by the Labour Ministry, shows that while there was a reduction between May, 1935, and last May in the numbers unemployed in nearly every age group, the reduction was greater proportionally among persons under 35 years.

Men under 35 were 44.9 per cent. of all unemployed men in May, 1935, but this May the percentage had fallen to 41.6.—British Wireless.

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NEW MACHINERY INSTALLED

London, Aug. 20.

An important stage in the revival of the British flax industry was marked to-day by the starting up of electrically-driven machinery of the latest design in the de-seeding section of new flax mills at Bittling, in Northamptonshire.

The mills, which will be in full operation by September 7, are part of a new industrial venture associated with a carefully-planned agricultural experiment in the same county. Six hundred acres have been sown with pedigree seed, and, despite adverse weather, a crop of exceptionally good quality has been harvested.—British Wireless.

MOTOR WIND SCREENS

MUST BE SAFETY GLASS

London, Aug. 20.

In January next, regulations issued by the Ministry of Transport will make compulsory the use of safety glass wind screens on motor vehicles.

All vehicles manufactured after 1931 are fitted with windcreens of the safety type, but it is estimated that some 600,000 private and about 200,000 commercial vehicles at present on the road have ordinary glass screens and that probably 500,000 of these will be continued on the road by their owners, who will have to have new windcreens fitted before the end of the year.—British Wireless.

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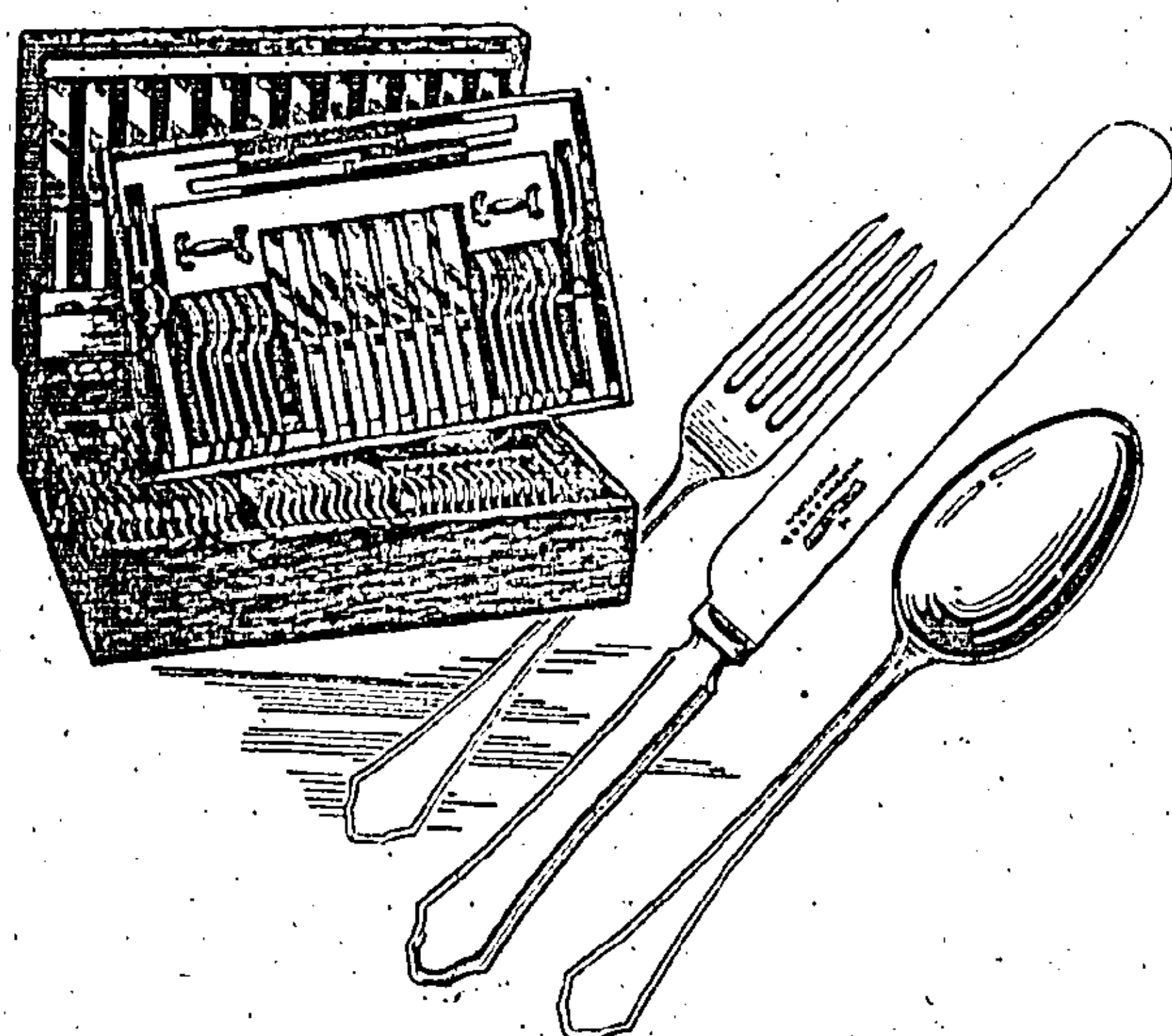
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WORLD WAR FEARS AND HOPES

Will there be another world war? Despite the almost universal desire to the contrary, there undoubtedly exists a widespread fear that war will somehow break out sooner or later in Europe. Happily, however, there are factors which suggest that such a catastrophe will be avoided.

Signor Mussolini, who is fully conscious of the realities of the situation, has just hazarded the view that a European upheaval would pave the way to Communism when the nations involved became exhausted. That possibility will doubtless be a restraining element tending to make ambitious statesmen or militarists hesitate before committing any act which would precipitate a world upheaval. It is of interest to note that much the same note as that struck by Mussolini was recently sounded by Dr. Benes, the President of Czechoslovakia, when he asserted that he had a strange feeling that war would not break out. The reason he gave was that any nation which unleashed a European war would never attain its ends; for such a conflict would lead first to general chaos and would only be the introduction to another and more disastrous war, without issue or end. Such a grave responsibility, Dr. Benes thinks, no statesman could overlook; hence his belief that peace will be saved and some agreement reached in concert between the Powers interested in the preservation of European concord and civilisation. This view, coming from a man of the calibre of Dr. Benes, is worthy of notice. Dr. Benes has been Minister of Foreign Affairs for nearly twenty years; he has been described as being as efficient as a dynamo, as one who has no cant, but talks facts; who sees Europe as a whole, and whose dearest ambition is to organise an effective United States of Europe. A statesman of his authority and foresight does not choose his words lightly; his opinion should carry much weight. If all the leaders in Europe were of his frame of mind, there would never be any fear of another world upheaval. Trouble, should it come, might emanate from "statesmen" who are not statesmen, who may blunder into catastrophe because they have not the first quality of true statesmanship, foresight, or who are so eaten up with ambition that their first thought

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WHAT THE SPANISH WAR MEANS

L EON TROTSKY once said that the next political dispute was worked up into the most abominable and bitter conflict by the atrocious stories told by each side against the other.

That sort of thing is happening to-day throughout Spain. On both sides, cruelties are being committed which mock at the pretensions of the twentieth century to be civilised.

If one studies the European Press to-day one is struck by the tremendous discrepancies in the reports of the Spanish civil war.

Even in our own country the more genteel newspapers are referring to those in revolt against a regularly constituted government as "insurgents" rather than as "rebels." In the more Radical papers these "insurgents" become the worst sort of bullies and bandits.

But one had not expected events to go so far or so quickly to prove Trotsky right.

People are always ready in political strife to see all the heroism on the side with which they sympathise and all the atrocities on the other. They seldom pause to realise that all sides unless we realised that warfare—and civil warfare most of all, since it is the least natural—is a filthy business, however magnificent the ideals for which it is fought.

Sixteen years ago I was with the Red Guards in Essen after the famous Kapp Putsch, and by crossing the firing line each

NOTES OF THE DAY

Two agreements were reached last month which appear to be based respectively on two fundamentally opposed principles. In the first place there was the agreement between Germany, Austria and Italy. On the surface this agreement should do much for the appeasement of Europe as it means the ending of a feud between two Great Powers. But the fact that it has not been hailed with a sigh of relief is to be traced to the fact that the two Great Powers concerned had both, acting independently, successfully defied the forces of Law and Order. Consequently Europe is asking anxiously whether the new agreement presages a still more successful, because more powerful, defiance of the principles of Law and Order.

The other agreement is a triumph for the forces of Law and Order, and of peaceful change by international agreement. For this reason the agreement in regard to the Dardanelles has been hailed with a sigh of relief. It is not so much the contents of the agreement that have contributed to the general satisfaction as the fact that the agreement has not been the outcome of resort to force or the tearing up of treaties but of reliance on the goodwill of nations to effect a peaceful change in the existing World Order.

The nations have got to make up their mind which of these two principles shall dominate the policy of Europe. If they concede anything to the successful aggressor and condone every breach of a treaty, then anarchy, followed logically by war, is the prospect before us. If on the other hand, they stand firm for the principle of the sacredness of international obligations—in other words if they stand firm by the principles of the League—then there is still hope that the dreaded "next war" may be averted.

is their own glory. Yet, when stock is taken of all the factors, there is much ground for thinking that the worst will not happen. Humanity in general will certainly agree with Mr. Baldwin, who, when addressing the Canadian pilgrims in London recently, declared: "If Europe and the world can find no other way of settling disputes than the way of war—even now, when we are still finding and burying the bodies of those who fell twenty years ago—the world deserves to perish."

"... this conflict involves you, me, and the man down the road. It may divide Europe into two sections hostile beyond all possibility of reconciliation ..."

By

Vernon Bartlett

Should the rebels win, there will be a period of brutal reaction far exceeding the expectations of those nice British Conservatives who have met and liked Spanish monarchists and who know nothing of the misery of those immense devastated agricultural areas for which they are so gravely responsible.

British Conservatives would have as little in common with a victorious reaction in Madrid as British Liberals would have with a victorious Communist government.

If they are so incompatible, will our British conceptions of personal liberty survive, or shall we find ourselves forced in the end to choose one of these other doctrines which have a more obvious appeal to youth because, although they limit a freedom we have learnt to treasure, they are showing themselves so much more positive and dynamic than democracy?

If, as is greatly to be feared, this struggle drags on, Herr Hitler and Signor Mussolini will inevitably be drawn more and more to support the rebels, and M. Leon Blum to support the government. This must happen however scrupulous they may be at present in withholding help.

Germany would be genuinely frightened of Communism at each extremity of Europe. France would be even more frightened of a Fascist dictatorship beyond her Western as well as her Eastern frontier.

Fear is so much the father of folly that one cannot expect these two countries for long to refrain from interference, open or secret.

And, indeed, why should they? Spain is the unfortunate battlefield of two doctrines which are apparently so incompatible that people who hold them scoff at the idea of lasting peace until the rival has been wiped off the face of the earth.

How can the Five-Power conference to bring security to Western Europe go forward according to plan if democracy and dictatorship, or even dictatorship, are to be the result?

SIDE GLANCES By George Clark



"She's always telling people that we went to school together, but she never mentions that she was the teacher."

And, if we are right in this belief, are we to allow this dispute to drag on, to impoverish Spain for generations, and to accentuate the divergencies between the political conceptions of people hundreds of miles away from the Spanish frontier until talk of peace conferences and international reconciliation becomes a mockery of the hopes of mankind?

It is of no use to pretend that this conflict is merely a domestic one. It is a conflict which involves you, me and the man down the road. It may divide Europe into two sections hostile beyond all possibility of reconciliation.

But it might build a bridge between them. There is something to be said for strict neutrality. There is more to be said for intervention on the side of a legally-constituted government against the threat of a military tyranny of the worst possible type.

There is still more to be said for an attempt to get the five Powers who are supposed to collaborate in pacifying Western Europe to make a joint appeal for a truce in Spain before the bitterness and misery of her people poison the atmosphere of Europe in which a civilised man already finds it so difficult to breathe.

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CHINESE
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Press

The Lawn Bowls Association have now released the names of the players chosen by the Selection Committee to represent Shanghai against Hongkong here, in the early part of September. The following are the players, venue and date of the three Interport matches:—

1st Interport, Sept. 2 on the Police Lawn Bowls Club green in Hongkong Park—C. W. Glover (S.L.B.C. Skip), T. G. Main (Recs. No. 3), C. Richards (S.L.B.C. No. 2), F. Medina (C. L. Lead).

2nd Interport, Sept. 12 on the Yang-tze Club green in Hongkong Park—A. J. Hall (J. G. C. Skip), J. B. Harvey (Y.B.C. No. 3), C. F. Remondet (H.G.C. No. 2), C. M. Guimaraes (H.G.C. Lead).

3rd Interport, Sept. 14 on the Recreation Ground—G. V. Jensen (Recs. Skip), J. P. de Campos (C.L. No. 3), H. G. Howard (S.L.B.C. No. 2), W. T. Manley (Recs. Lead).

Reserves.—Skip, D. Ramsay (S.L.B.C. No. 3), F. O. Madar (Recs. No. 2), J. W. Brierley (Y.B.C. Lead), A. Harvey (S.L.B.C.). All matches are to start at 3 p.m.

It is interesting to note that the players in the first rink are the same, although not playing in the same order, that lost against the Colony in Hongkong in 1931, when they were defeated by F. Cullen, skip, J. Fraser, A. M. Holland, J. Puntell, by 25-16.

The Selection Committee have made a fairly good job of a difficult task, which in one or two instances might have been improved upon, but naturally it is impossible to please everyone with so many good players, particularly strong and would probably make a stronger rink than at least one of those chosen. In lawn bowls, more than any other game, there are players who are exceptionally good, who never seem to catch the eye and are missed by selection committees, year after year. Whilst other players not quite so good and perhaps trading on past reputations, are chosen year after year.

Although Hongkong are sending up a strong team this year, they will probably find the task of beating the three rinks chosen to oppose them, a bit too difficult and there is no reason why Shanghai should not again be successful and make it three straight wins.

JESSE OWENS SAILS

Athlete Going Home In The Queen Mary

Southampton, Aug. 19. Jesse Owens, the negro athlete who won the 100 metres, 200 metres and running broad jump at the Berlin Olympic Games, and the 400 metres relay in world-record time, sailed by the Queen Mary for America to-day. He has received many offers to turn professional, and will consider them when he returns.—United Press.

Crawford Says "Phenomenal" of Perry's Cup-winning Tennis

(By Bruce Harris)

When Crawford and Perry discussed with me and each other their rubber match, won decisively by Perry—and with it the Davis Cup—at 6-2, 6-3, 6-3. "I knew that that tennis of the forcing kind was either there or it wasn't. I found that it was present and correct, and so went out for a quick win before it deserted me."

"I think Jack was nervous, and probably the other members of our team had taken toll by running him about."

"Mind you, I was hitting the ball early, very early. And knowing that I was doing so and that I had struck a patch, I took all sorts of risks in going up to the net on poor reception."

"That the shots were there in the crisis, and all went well."

"Did I feel nervous in the third set when I lost three games after leading 3-1? I hardly know. It was such a rush. But from that point onwards I threw all my energy into clinching the match."

The Shanghai mosquito press, one of the strongest arms of China's Fourth Estate, has received reports of the string of defeats of the Chinese Olympic teams with keen disappointment and sarcasm, but still with faint hopes and encouragement for the future.

Although none of the mosquito papers take cable stories from any of the foreign news agencies, they obtain their information regarding the Olympic competitions from the "big papers" and have commented extensively on the results of the events, particularly those concerning Chinese participants.

A survey shows that probably never before has the Chinese press in general taken such a keen interest in the Olympic Games as this year, this being chiefly due to the large number of Chinese participants in the competitions.

While the mosquito press criticises generally agreed beforehand that China had no chance, in track and field events, they had, however, expected a better display in the basketball games and in a few of the heats.

PAINFUL DEFEAT

They were particularly disappointed at the last basketball defeat, when China lost to Japan. There was a faint hope of getting to the semi-finals in this sport and sting of defeat was more painful because the victor was Japan. Had it been some other country probably the mosquito press would not have been so bitter.

The members of the quintet, who were described by the Central News Special Correspondent at Berlin as "haughty," came in for another attack when they lost in the second game to Peru. The defeat of the soccer team at the hands of Britain was a foregone conclusion but some praise was dished out to the team for keeping the score so close.

TIMES DOUBTED

Individuals who came in for attack included Liu Chang-chun, the 100-metre sprinter, Paul Fu, pole vault champion, and Miss Yang Sau-king, pretty Chinese swimmer. The press was disappointed as none of these national champions got placed in the heats and were eliminated from the first trials. One commentator asks whether the national record of Liu—10.7 seconds—was accurate, and why he did not place in the Berlin heats when some runners did by 11 seconds flat. Another critic doubts the time-keepers in China, saying that probably the stop-watch was pressed a little sooner, just to make the record look good and to please the runner and the public.

Paul Fu, who crossed the bar at 4.1 metres at the last National Athletic Meet, merely reached the 3.75 metres mark at Berlin, which caused another "critic to doubt the actual record made in China. Miss Yang, who was 15 metres behind the winner in the 100-metres heat for women, was criticised as being spoiled by the public in China, who put her "too high."

In speaking of the races, one paper says that probably the peoples with coloured skin are not physically up to par with the white race, and then turns around and says that Jesse Owens the negro sprinter, also has coloured skin.



English league footballers are now in the midst of rigorous training in preparation for the new season which opens on Saturday week. Here can be seen Charlton Athletic players putting in some routine work.

Barson To Captain S'hai Interport Cricket Team

SUCCESSOR TO DONALD LEACH

Our Daily Golf Hint

The main idea in golf is to have the hands swing the club head. The golf stroke is a swing not a hit.

—Grandstand Rice.

DUFF'S EXHAUSTING TENNIS MATCH

WITH CARSON

Shanghai, Aug. 16. Winning all three singles matches without the loss of a set, America defeated Britain in the final of the Rotary Cup tennis tournament at the County Athletic Club yesterday. Only W. H. "Stick" Duff furnished strong opposition to the Americans; both Forbes, and in particular H. Madar, being off their game.

The first singles between Lewis Carson and "Stick" Duff turned out to be a gruelling match in which some of the best tennis seen this season was played, after which Duff, who had just edged over Duff in smashing, earning valuable points when needed through his deadly overhead work.

It was a bitter struggle right through. Carson led 4-2 in the first set but Duff played an inspired game to even matters 4-4 and both won their services the score reached 7-7 when Duff dropped his second service game to allow the American to win 9-7.

DUFF RALLIES

Quite unruffled by the early success of his opponent, Duff started out strongly in the second set to lead 3-1, an advantage which Carson overcame; only to have the Briton again regain again at 5-3.

Duff reached set point twice in the next game but the American was irresistible at this stage and after heated rallies, managed to save the match.

Carson reached his peak in the next game, which he won to love bringing the score to 5-5 and killing twice in succession at the net.

The Briton had the lead at 6-5 and again at 8-7 but was unable to break through Carson's service, although at one stage the score was love-30 against Carson.

Duff made his last supreme effort to take the set when he led 9-8, failure to realise which apparently disheartened him for he lost the next three games and set 9-11. The Briton had shot his last bolt and retired at the end of the strenuous set.

Detailed results:—

Shanghai, Aug. 18. The Shanghai Cricket Club announced yesterday that A. J. Barson has been selected to captain the Shanghai Interport cricket team against Hongkong, which will be played in Shanghai early in October probably about the "Double Tenth." At the same time it was announced that the following five would comprise the Interport selection committee: H. A. Coward, E. C. Baker, W. C. G. Clifford, P. V. Simpson and P. Madar.

Barson's choice as captain will be thoroughly endorsed by all cricketers in Shanghai for there can be few who have done more to foster the game. He learnt his cricket at Halesbury and played his first Interport match against Hongkong in Shanghai in 1930 when the match was drawn on account of rain. He made 30 on that occasion. The match was played in May and in September he accompanied the S.C.C. side to Hankow. After an exciting match Hankow won by ten runs, Barson's two contributions were 96 and 28. In that year he was also second in batting averages. He played against Hongkong again in 1931. The following year when the match was played in Shanghai he was in the side. That time Hongkong triumphed. His last appearance against Hongkong was in 1934. The Interport was played here and Shanghai won quite comfortably.

SUCCESS LEACH

He could probably have gone down with the team to Hongkong last year but instead chose to go to Hankow. He also went to Hankow in 1933 when Shanghai won by one wicket. Last year Hankow won by one wicket. His selection brings the long run of captaincy held by D. W. French and though the latter will probably be back from leave in time for the Interport match, the S.C.C. committee have been wise not to choose him for, excellent cricketer that he is, he is bound to be out of touch with local cricket.

For the past two seasons Barson has captained the Wanderers League side.

CUNNINGHAM'S RECORD RUN

800 METRES IN 1:49.7

Stockholm, Aug. 20. Glen Cunningham, the famous American athlete, who performed with distinction at the World Olympics, to-day shattered the world's record in an 800 metres race, when he returned the amazing time of 1 min. 49.7 secs.

Previous best for this distance was that of Thomas Hampson that English half-miler, who had a recognised record of 1 min. 49.8 secs, while Ben Eastman, another brilliant American runner also clocked 1:49.8 over 880 yards.—Reuter.

Lewis Carson beat W. H. Duff 9-7, 11-9 (retired).

C. C. Squires beat R. Forbes 6-2, 12-10, 6-4.

S. Mellman beat H. Madar 6-2, 6-4, 12-10.

World Title Bout Next February

New York, Aug. 20. It was announced here to-day that the postponed fight between James Braddock and Max Schmeling for the heavyweight title of the world, is expected to be staged at Miami in February next.—United Press.

M. W. Lo Returns To League Tennis

AND WINS THREE SETS

M. W. Lo, 1929 Colony tennis champion, made a welcome re-appearance in league tennis yesterday when he partnered his sister, Mrs. Litton, in a mixed doubles match against United Services Recreation Club, and won all three sets.

Chinese Recreation Club won the match by seven sets to two, the only visiting pair to score successes being L. Goldman and Mrs. Wilson, who secured two out of three sets.

Mrs. Dowling returned to the U.S.R.C. team after a lengthy absence, but she and A. L. Sullivan could make no impression on the powerful Chinese pairs.

C.R.C. are now firmly set for the mixed doubles championship. They have to meet K.C.C. (1) twice, but need only to beat them once to win the title. Only by losing their last two matches can C.R.C. fail to win the league.

Yesterday's scores and the amended league table follow.

LEAGUE TABLE									
	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.	Sets	
Recreo.	10	10	0	0	75½	14½	20	12	
K.I.T.C.	9	9	0	0	60½	14½	18	10	
S.C.A.A.	11	9	0	2	65½	33½	18	10	
K.T.G.C.A.	10	7	0	3	60	30	14	12	
A.T.C.	11	6	1	4	45	30	13	14	
K.C.C. (A)	11	4	1	6	44½	54½	9		
H.K.U.T.C.	10	4	1	5	36½	52½	9		
K.C.C. (B)	11	4	1	6	45	54	9		
S.C.C.C.	10	2	1	7	27½	62½	5		
C.C.C.	11	2	1	8	31	60	5		
C.R.C.	9	1	0	8	28½	52½	2		
I.R.C.	10	0	0	10	15½	74½	0		

PRIZES FOR WORST BRIDGE HANDS

Best Also to Be Accorded Recognition

New York, Aug. 18. Mr. Ely Culbertson, the famous bridge expert, has announced that he will give prizes for the best and worst hands in bridge. The only conditions are that the hands must be dealt in a bona fide game and must be authenticated by a notary public.

Mr. Culbertson believes that his offer will settle once and for all the periodical reports of hands containing thirteen cards of one suit, and will check statistically a person's chances of drawing such a hand.—United Press.

LEAGUE TENNIS

K. I. T. C. STILL WINNING

To-day's Big Encounter

"C" DIVISION

The long drawn-out contest for the "C" Division tennis league championship is nearing its end. Yesterday Kwloon Indian Tennis Club overcame another important obstacle by beating South China in the latter's final match of the season.

This afternoon K.I.T.C., who are neck and neck with Recrio for the honours, meet Kwloon Tong, after which they play Recrio in the last match of the programme.

To-day's match is of unusual interest as it will bring in opposition the two most successful pairs in the league, namely the Hussain brothers of Kwloon Indians, who have won all 27 sets played to date, and the Chan brothers of Kwloon Tong, whose record falls but little behind that of the Hussain combination.

This set is certainly expected to produce some of the best tennis seen in the "C" Division this summer, and the outcome may be anything so well do the pairs appear to be matched.

The game is being played at Kwloon Tong, and because of this the K.I.T.C. will have no pleasure cruise. They will probably have to fight every inch in order to win, and the result may easily go in favour of the home team by the odd set.

Yesterday saw the Army Tennis Club finish their programme with a drawn match against Craighengower, this also being Craighengower's last game of the season.

Even without one of the Chan brothers, Kwloon Tong were quite comfortably against Chinese Recreation Club, while it was the Hussain Club, and together with Firdos Khan and M. A. Khan who pulled the game through for K.I.T.C. against South China.

Details of the matches and the revised league table follow.

LEAGUE TABLE									
	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.	Sets	
Recreo.	10	10	0	0	75½	14½	20	12	
K.I.T.C.	9	9	0	0	60½	14½	18	10	
S.C.A.A.	11	9	0	2	65½	33½	18	10	
K.T.G.C.A.	10	7	0	3	60	30	14	12	
A.T.C.	11	6	1	4	45	30	13	14	
K.C.C. (A)	11	4	1	6	44½	54½	9		
H.K.U.T.C.	10	4	1	5	36½	52½	9		
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C.C.C.	11	2	1	8	31	60	5		
C.R.C.	9	1	0	8	28½	52½	2		
I.R.C.	10	0	0	10	15½	74½	0		

ARMY T. C. DRAW WITH CRAIGHENGOWER

Results: N. P. Karanjia and O. Sadick (C.C.C.) lost to S. M. Fowles and Q. M. S. Warr 2-6; beat Q. M. S. Davies and S/Sgt. Cooper 6-3; beat Sgt. O'Connor and L/Cpl. Tudor 6-1.

S. A. Cassumbhoy and A. Hung (C.C.C.) lost to S. M. Fowles and Q. M. S. Warr 1-6; lost to Q. M. S. Davies and S/Sgt. Cooper 2-6; beat Sgt. O'Connor and L/Cpl. Tudor 6-2.

L. Chao and D. Hung (C.C.C.) drew with S. M. Fowles and Q. M. S. Warr 6-6; lost to Q. M. S. Davies.

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SUCCESSFUL RACKET WIELDERS

IN "C" DIVISION OF TENNIS LEAGUE

The following are the most successful pairs to date in the "C" Division of the tennis league. Their performances include yesterday's matches.

"C" DIVISION

	Sets	Pts.		Sets	Pts.
S. A. and S. S. Hussain (K.I.T.C.)	27	27	0	0	
H. and A. Chan (K.T.G.C.A.)	24	24	0	0	
C. F. Watson and E. B. Casali (K.C.C.)	27	20	4	3	
L. A. Silva and J. Xavier (Recrio)	24	19	2	3	
M. A. Khan and Firdos Khan (K.I.T.C.)	27	18	0	0	
Fowles and Warr (A.T.C.)	27	18	0	0	
M. Singh and T. M. Dewan (K.I.T.C.)	30	17	13	0	
V. Freeman and E. Kirby (K.I.T.C.)	18	10	1	1	
G. and H. Nurnha (Recrio)	18	10	1	1	
A. M. Silva and Gonalves (Recrio)	15	14	1	1	
Davies and Cooper (A.T.C.)	30	13	14	3	
King and O'Connor (K.T.G.C.A.)	24	11	9	4	
O. L. Pang and W. K.T.G.C.A.)	12	10	2	0	
C. Wei and C. L. Ma (K.I.T.C.)	18	10	7	1	
D. Orr and A. Philippina (K.C.C.)	15	9	7	2	
Nu and Ma (S.C.A.A.)	15	9	7	2	
W. Gittins and G. A. White (K.C.C.)	15	9	7	2	
G. She and Y. O. Yee (K.T.G.C.A.)	15	7	7	1	
N. Azeffort and J. J. (S.C.C.)	15	7	4	4	
F. A. Broadbridge and J. S. Smith (K.C.C.)	12	6	4	2	
G. F. Bentley and M. Wood (S.C.C.)	12	6	4	2	
A. M. Silva and H. (Recrio)	6	5	0	1	
C. Chan and C. L. Lau (S.C.A.A.)	6	5	0	1	
A. Bickar and J. S. (K.I.T.C.)	15	5	10	0	
N. P. Karanjia and O. Sadick (C.C.C.)	24	5	17	2	
H. A. Noronha and H. Gonalves (Recrio)	6	4	2	0	
S. Chan and K. H. Wong (S.C.A.A.)	6	4	2	0	
S. Cassumbhoy and A. Hung (C.C.C.)	18	4	13	1	
H. Chan and K. H. Wong (S.C.A.A.)	3	3	0	0	
P. Ip and T. E. Chow (K.I.T.C.)	3	3	0	0	
C. Chao and A. Hung (C.C.C.)	6	3	0	0	
N. J. Beilington and A. L. Fisher (K.C.C.)	3	3	0	0	
A. Hung and O. Sadick (C.C.C.)	3	3	0	0	
H. N. Chan and T. F. Lo (K.I.T.C.)	9	3	5	1	
L. Chao and H. Hung (C.C.C.)	8	3	1	5	
L. Chao and A. Hung (C.C.C.)	3	2	1	0	
G. C. and C. L. Lau (S.C.A.A.)	3	2	1	0	
M. K. Ma and C. L. Lau (S.C.A.A.)	3	2	1	0	
A. L. Fisher and M. A. Broadbridge (K.C.C.)	3	2	1	0	
Y. N. Tai and M. C. Hung (University)	3	2	1	0	
K. Chan (University)	3	2	0	1	
S. Ha and P. C. Yu (University)	3	2	0	1	
A. L. Lau and P. E. Chow (K.I.T.C.)	3	2	0	1	
G. Wei and P. E. Chow (K.I.T.C.)	3	2	0	1	
M. A. and M. P. Khan (K.I.T.C.)	3	2	0	1	
H. P. Kuo and K. (K.I.T.C.)	6	2	1	5	
A. M. Silva and F. J. Remondet (Recrio)	3	2	1	0	
N. P. Karanjia and C. W. Lam (C.C.C.)	3	2	1	0	

MEAD SUMMONED FOR NOT MAINTAINING HIS MOTHER

Philip Mead, the Hampshire county cricketer, was summoned at South-Western police court, London, last month, for not maintaining, when of sufficient means, his mother, Louisa Hannah Mead.

Mr. F. M. Conlan, prosecuting for the L.C.C., said that Mead's mother had been in a Poor Law institution and was chargeable to the L.C.C. She was 73 years of age.

Mead was a married man with three children.

SHORT HISTORY OF AUSTRALIAN CRICKET WHEN SPOFFORTH MADE HIS FIRST APPEARANCE

ARTICLE VI
(By R. Abbit)

The English team had been more or less happy at Ballarat, but they had not to move to a place called Stawell which was seventy four miles away and the road was little else but a bush track. I am not precisely sure what a Cobb's coach may be but it is clearly not as comfortable as a modern car! And for twelve hours W. G. and his protesting team were bumped across country to their destination.

However, it seems that they received a most warm welcome and they had a day's rest during which W. G. and Gilbert went shooting and most of the others visited the gold mine there—reputedly a very wealthy one. It was just as well that they had a pleasant day as the game, against the local twenty-two as usual, was a dreadful experience. The wicket was so rough and dirty that on one occasion a slow ball failed to reach the batsman at all, while no amount of force could hit the ball along the ground to the boundary. Suffice it to say that the local side—better used to these conditions—won by ten wickets in a couple of days. W. G. had had enough of it, and went off shooting but six professionals took on twelve of the local people at single wicket and got a horrible licking. As W. G. pointed out on many occasions if the wicket is not only bad but absurdly bad, all players are reduced to the same level.

MORE TROUBLES

The troubles of the side, however, were not yet over. Having suffered very much from dust on the first drive, they now met mud, on their journey to Warrnambool via Ararat and apparently they could have done with the arid, as it rained in torrents during a ninety mile drive. They finally arrived soaked to the skin, with their baggage also sodden with wet. The usual warm welcome was given them at the hotel, where they arrived very late, but the English skipper was definitely peevisish when he was knocked up by a reporter at midnight, and apparently the "interview" was neither long nor successful.

The cricket, thanks to the fact that the wicket had been transformed by the rain into a slushy swamp instead of a series of bumps, was a little easier and the English side about half way through the second day had won by nine wickets. As usual there was a single wicket match, W. G., Bush, Gilbert and G. F. Grace took on ten local men but it was a draw. There are some curious side-lights on the way things went in Australia in these days. It is recorded that card-sharps and professional gamblers swarmed on the ground and pilfered their trade in complete disregard of the police. The local authorities also had let the catering for "three days" and not for the match, so instead of the English team all getting a day off, six professionals and five local men took on eighteen local men to fill up the third day and got soundly beaten. The grounds seem to have been thoroughly soaked, and had a pretty good time of it. From here the team went to Melbourne, exchanging the pains of land travel for those of sea-faring. The usual sea-sickness came on and for sixteen hours they had a bad time which was repeated a couple of days later on their voyage up to Sydney.

SPOFFORTH'S FIRST MATCH

The match which was played there against an eighteen of New South Wales marks the first appearance of Spofforth, who got two wickets for sixteen in the second innings. Altogether the English side did not cover themselves with glory and were beaten by eight wickets. They next were due to go to Maitland but the ground was under water and so they dodged a journey by sea and had a train journey for a change—"slow railway" travelling which, however, proved infinitely more agreeable than the lumbering coaches in the bush, and the tossing little steamers of the coast. There was quite a good match at Bathurst and England won by eight wickets. The Governor of New South Wales Sir Hercules Robinson went along and saw the match. He had been Governor of Hongkong from 1859 to 1865.

Thence they returned to Sydney and played a combined fifteen of Victoria and New South Wales. It was in this match that the rather un-

pleasant episode of the batsman who would not go out took place. But it did not prevent a most hearty ovation by the spectators when later on the game was finished off in the favour of England.

They had the usual bad trip down to Melbourne, somewhat cheered by an enormous oyster supper when W. G. purchased a sack of oysters which was part of the ship's freight. But they did not stop long in Melbourne, but went off to Sandhurst and afterwards to Castlemaine. As usual the wickets were terrible and W. G. mentions that their lives were scared nearly out of them by the reckless way in which coach drivers took steep hills at a gallop.

After a return to Melbourne where England beat a Fifteen of Victoria by seven wickets they left for the usual Tasmanian trip where a couple of games were won. The impression left on my mind is that cricket in Tasmania then was considered better than that in Australia, through possibly the fact that there was a perfect road for the drive of a hundred and twenty-five miles from Lanneston to Hobart. Town may have rendered W. G. a bit more appreciative. The certainly enjoyed the apples. The most notable cricket feature was a score of 154 by G. F. Grace, which stood as a record in Tasmania for a good many years.

The tour was drawing to an end. There was a drawn match at Melbourne and then a desperate sea voyage and another bumpy drive through bush country to Kadina. It was already mentioned the awful ground there, and the extra match that was played at Adelaide.

TOUR CONCLUDES

This was the end of the tour and the side returned home reaching England on 18th May. The impression left on me by reading W. G. Grace's account of it—which by the way was written about a quarter of a century after the tour—is that while he liked the people at the big towns, he did not enjoy the hardships of transport or of the wicket which had to be suffered during most of the up-country games. There is a story told by Mr. Athlum that W. G. said, at a farewell dinner, to Boyle (who came to England in the 1873 side) "If you ever come to England and your bowlers are as good there as they are here, you will make a name for yourselves." They did.

Reverting once more to the question of the journey which in these days were, with the exception of sea trips round the coast and one bit of railway from Sydney to Bathurst, made by coach. I had supposed that it was a thing of the very distant past. But I was most interested and surprised to hear from a local gentleman who follows cricket very closely that though there are up to date trains all is not yet perfect. He writes—

"Curiously enough, similar complaint exists to-day in respect of the train journey from Melbourne to Sydney, concerning which a member of the Rugby League team which recently toured Australia, says: 'This journey is about the world's worst. Dinner is of the hit and miss variety, that is to say, one mouthful of food hits its objective O.K., but it is never a 5 to 4 chance that the next has the same luck. When you attempt to drink coffee, the odds are distinctly against a successful coup. To sleep in such a "rattler" is difficult—in fact some of our newcomers had a very poor night."

But the length of the voyage is a thing of the past. I rather you got to Perth or rather Fremantle sooner than you do to Hongkong. If you leave Marseilles at the same time, And Calfyn would be amazed at the size and the luxury of the modern liner which goes to Australia! (To be continued.)

SMALL UNITS GALA

SPLENDID EVENT AT Y.M.C.A. KEEN RIVALRY

The Annual Aquatic Meeting of the Small Units Sports Club was held last night at the Y.M.C.A. swimming-bath, a large group of friends turning up to cheer on the participants. Major G. A. Beagle-Brown, R.A.S.C., presided as referee.

The strong R.A.M.C. swimmer, Private Wright won the first individual honour, the 220 yards Free Style, Sigm. Bonham, R.C.S., placing second. The Inter-Unit Diving Competition for the Championship Challenge Cup was won by the R.A.M.C. with a total of 117½ points. Lieut. C. C. S. Genese, 2/E. Lan. Reg. and Mr. R. Goldman, were the diving judges.

Private Wright won the 50 yard Dash as well, with Private Lawler, R.A.O.C. following. Mrs. Burke won the 25 yards Ladies' Race, while Miss Fallowfield was placed second. In the 100 yards Breast Stroke for individual honours, Private Hughes, R.A.M.C. was placed first, with Private Harris of the same Unit close behind.

Lieut. Grossman, R.A.O.C., won the 50 yard Officers' Race. Private Wright again came to the front in the 400 yards, when he earned an ovation by finishing the race two lengths ahead of the second man, Private Underwood and the third man, the latter two fighting gamely to the end of the 16 length race.

The final event on the programme was the Inter-Unit Relay Race which was won again by the R.A.M.C. In the early part of the race, R.A.M.C. was quite far behind, but a burst of speed by the fourth man in the team of six not only cut down his Unit's losing margin, but managed to put the race well in the winner's hands. Private Wright, anchor man, finished the Meet in a final burst of speed.

Officials in the Meeting, in addition to the Referee, were Capt. G. S. O'N. Power, R. Signals, Capt. L. J. Welch, R.A.S.C., Capt. J. Boyle, R.A.M.C., and Lieut. G. Gillman, who served as Judges. Lieut. C. C. S. Genese, 2/E. Lane. Reg. was starter, while Lieut. F. W. Stevens, R.A.O.C., and Lieut. W. S. Reeve, R.A.O.C., were the time keepers. The Chief Whip was Mr. Q.M.S. J. McGarry, R.A.M.C., Hon. Secretary: Lieut. E. H. Reeder, R.A.S.C.; Announcer, C.S.M. T. W. R. Sablin, R.A.S.C. and the Recorder was S/Sgt. A. Benson, R.A.S.C.

Results: O. L. Pang and K. C. Yee (K.T.C.) beat H. N. Chau and T. F. Lo 6-3; beat C. Wei and S. L. Ma 6-4; beat P. F. Li and P. H. Kwok 6-1.

A. Chan and W. H. Wei (K.T.C.) beat H. W. Chau and T. F. Lo 6-3; beat C. Wei and S. L. Ma 6-4; beat P. F. Li and P. H. Kwok 6-3.

J. F. Un and Mok Ling (K.T.C.) lost to H. N. Chau and T. F. Lo 1-6; lost to C. Wei and S. L. Ma 2-6; lost to P. F. Li and P. H. Kwok 3-6.

SOUTH CHINA A.A. BEATEN

N. K. Ma and Y. K. Ng lost to S. S. and S. A. Hussain 1-6; beat Firdos Khan and M. M. Khan 6-3; beat Mahan Singh and T. M. V. Devan 6-2.

T. T. Ma and P. Y. Kwok lost to Hussain and Hussain 2-6; lost to Khan and Khan 5-7; lost to Mahan Singh and Devan 6-6.

J. Mok and Y. L. Kwan lost to Hussain and Hussain 2-6; lost to Khan and Khan 2-6; beat Mahan Singh and Devan 6-4.

Mr. J. R. Masson returned to the Colony yesterday after a brief visit to Shanghai.

Three cases of Typhoid were reported to the local Health authorities on Wednesday.

Four Shanghai Swimming Records Lowered

SPLENDID PERFORMANCES BY JAPANESE AND AMERICAN

In four out of the five championship swimming events held at the Cercle Sportif Français gala last week, existing Shanghai records were broken. Honours were divided between M. Matsushita, the Japanese swimmer who lowered the middle distance records and T. Britton, the 16-year-old American who set up new marks in the sprint events. The backstroke, the only ladies' championship event of the evening was won by Miss S. Brabner.

Tommy Britton lowered the existing Shanghai record for the 50 yards men's free style, jointly held previously by Noel Hammond and Frank Hadley at 25 2/5 seconds. Britton's time last night was 23 seconds, which considering the straight swim without a turn is very good. L. Oliveira sprang a surprise by taking second place, beating A. Gavriloff by a touch. Britton also won the 100 yards junior free style championship, lowering his own record made last year of 50 2/5 seconds and setting up the new mark of 50 1/5 seconds.

Confirming predictions, M. Matsushita broke two existing Shanghai records. He finished an easy winner in the 400 yards free style, and lowered the existing record of 5 minutes 45 seconds to 5 minutes 34 1/5 seconds last night. D. Smith, the 15-year-old American, had also broken the old record, finishing second in 5 minutes 44 seconds, and T. Tonishi was third. M. Matsushita was given a good race by his colleague T. Tonishi in the 220 yards free style, and won by five yards in the new record of 2 minutes 32 4/5 seconds, as compared with Hammond's old mark of 2 minutes 34 seconds. D. Smith was third.

Miss Stephanie Brabner won the ladies 50 yards backstroke event from Miss Helen Rodriguez, the time for the race being 45 seconds. The existing record is 38 seconds held by Mrs. V. E. Raven (nee Miss V. E. Schmidt). In the concluding water polo match of the evening, the French Club defeated a Bowling Club team by four goals to one after leading by two goals to nil at the interval.

BRITTON'S BAD LUCK

Tommy Britton swam half the length of the pool as a result of a false start in the 50 yards championship event before he was stopped. He was given ten minutes to rest before the start was made again, and on this occasion all four got away very level. Gavriloff held level with Britton for the first half of the race, but the latter went slightly ahead with his longer and more powerful strokes, Oliveira coming up at the end to contest second place with Gavriloff. Britton won by five feet, with Oliveira second, a touch ahead of Gavriloff.

M. Matsushita set a fast pace for the earlier phases of the 400 yards free style championship. A. Logan attempted to hold level with him, but could not stay the pace and after two lengths dropped back. D. Smith and T. Konishi swam level in third place, 25 yards behind Matsushita, and 10 yards behind Logan but came up to pass Logan in the turn into the fourth length. Matsushita could not increase his lead on Smith and Konishi, and went on to win by 25 yards.

Gavriloff got away to a fine start in the junior 100 yards and led Britton for the first lap, but the latter came up very strongly at the turn, and within a stroke was level, going on to win by five feet, Gavriloff being

second and Prince third, some distance behind.

A terrific pace was set for the 220 yards men's free style championship, Gavriloff holding ahead level with Konishi and Matsushita for the first length, Logan and Smith being slightly behind. At the turn, the two Japanese commenced to draw away swimming side by side, and Gavriloff dropped back. Smith came up towards the middle of the second length with Logan close on his heels, though both were still slightly behind Gavriloff. In the third length, Konishi still held level with Matsushita, the latter failing to leave his colleague behind until he had turned into the final lap, and here he pulled away, to go on and win by ten feet.

The following is an amusing letter published recently in *Lawn Tennis and Badminton*, in which the writer—a prominent tournament player in England—jibes at the methods adopted by the All-England Lawn Tennis Club in accepting or rejecting entries for Wimbledon.

Lawn Tennis and Badminton.
Dear Sir—For many years I have enjoyed a facility of amateur tennis and have managed to fill up the foot of the form very fully alliteration very difficult on the Championship Entry Form. But now I am writing to you for advice. What shall I say next year; the pitcher has been so often in the well, that the latter is dry.

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Spuriousity.—You will readily appreciate that the spuriousity of amateur tennis is a most serious matter, because championships must be honest.—"I have beaten—Charles Chan Honolulu Champion 1935, 6-3 6-3 6-2 6-1; Vins. Ispocane 6-3 6-3 6-2 6-1; Suring Laidlaw Tournament; King Solomon's Mines Club, 6-2 6-2 6-2 6-2; With Sargent Commis—strade beat Holmes and Watson 6-2 6-2 6-2 6-2; Jockill and Hyde 7-5 6-6. Mixed Doubles, W. W. Mile, D. Armentrout, beat the team."

But I still think my best performance was in April 1933, when I divided into Southampton water club in Arctics pants (or perhaps trunks) in search of my gold cigarette case.

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Khoo's Mother at Deathbed After Tragic Vigil

Penang, July 31. Semi-conscious, scarcely able to recognise his closest friends, and with his eyesight failing him, Khoo Hoo-hye, perhaps the most famous of all Chinese tennis players, died at his mother's home here on Sunday in tragic circumstances.

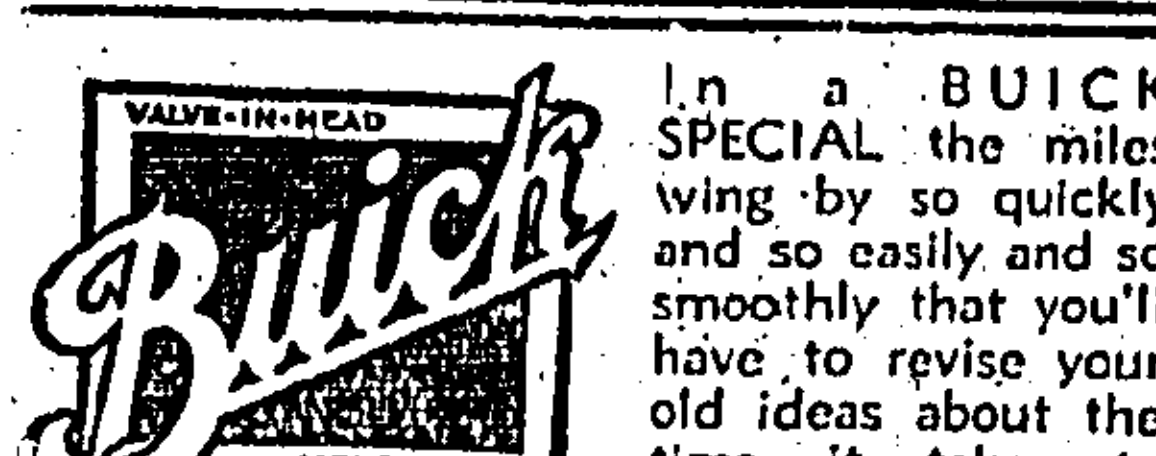
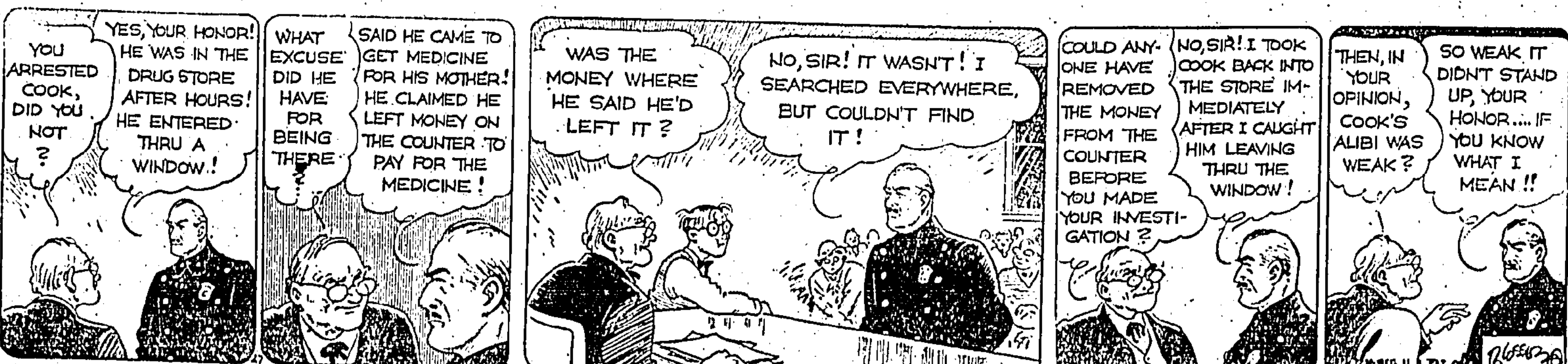
His last words to his mother, who had kept a bedside watch on her stricken son almost continually for the three weeks of his long illness, were: "What is that fire? I see smoke! What comes! A sudden silence fell in the room as death claimed a great sportsman. He breathed his last at 5 p.m., surrounded by a despairing group of friends and relatives. That the late Khoo Hoo-hye was

held in great esteem by many was evident in the huge representative attendance at the funeral yesterday, the gathering including numbers of prominent members of the Chinese community, local sportsmen, both foreign and Chinese, and legions of his admirers. Moving tribute was paid to the Chinese sportsman by the huge number of floral wreaths which were piled high on the funeral carriages.

Dense crowds lined the route of the funeral procession and as the remains of the veteran athlete wound its way to its last resting place a deep silence marked its progress. He was interred at the Khoo family cemetery, Thean Tek Estate.

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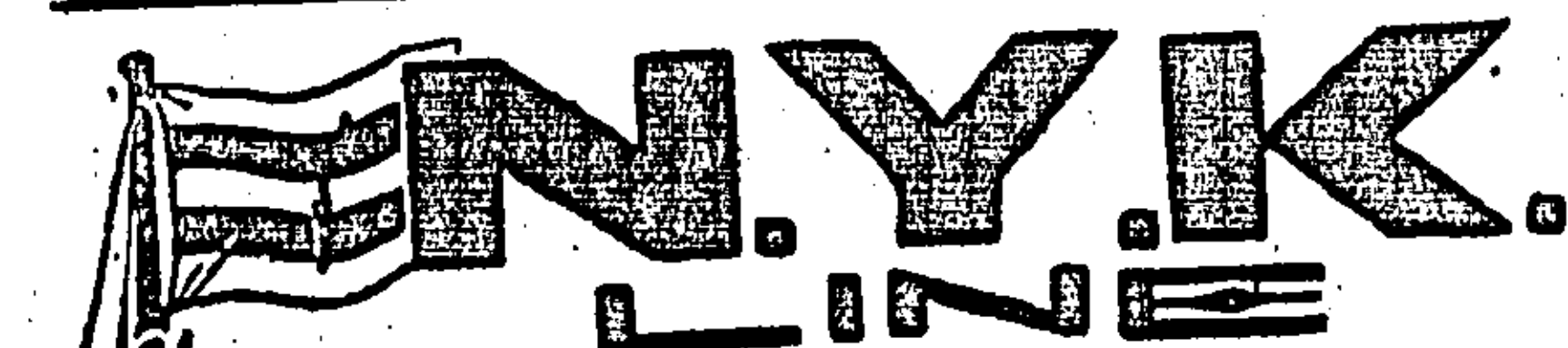
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JUST as a starving man, gazing hungrily at the food he is denied, may yield to an ungovernable impulse and smash the plate-glass window, so, too, with hungry nations craning over the barriers of their own economic nationalism. . . . But the first which does the smashing may be the mailed fist of armed Dictatorship. In the one case, it is called "larceny," and in the other, "economic expansion." But in a world of abundance, the privation which drives either an individual or a nation to desperation is intolerable.

World Challenge

That is made abundantly plain in this report of the committee, of which Lord Astor is chairman and on which are represented the League of Nations Health Committee, the International Labour Office and the International Institute of Agriculture. The other British delegate is Professor Edward Mellanby, Secretary-General of the Medical Research Council.

It is a challenge to the world to find salvation in healthy, well-fed people, to "marry health to agriculture," with Peace as the sacrament. It extends the British findings of Sir John Orr to the whole world.

"The economic interests of the community as a whole are bound up in maintaining the standard of physical efficiency among the people and laying the foundations of the health and well-being of future generations," says the report.

"Moreover there is a definite social and political interest in the accomplishment of this task, owing to the well-ascertained relationship between the deficiency of food, and especially of protective foods, and social unrest. . . . It takes as its background the policy of the International Labour Office that "raising living standards in all countries is a condition sine qua non of social justice and peace."

"Just as there are supreme National Defence Councils, and National Economic Councils, so there should also be a National Food Council. . . ."

Raise Incomes!

And the function of those State councils would be to see that adequate food was available for everyone, watch family budgets, control food resources.

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"Adequate nutrition cannot be assured by a policy directed exclusively towards countering the effects of the depression."

"The main cause of malnutrition is poverty. Malnutrition can never be overcome when poverty is its principal cause, except by increasing the income of the poor."

The report argues that the price of foodstuffs could be substantially reduced by limiting the disproportionate costs of distribution.

Starvation Facts

What a picture the report paints of a half-starved world!

Mothers dying because they have either been denied food as children, and, through rickets, have contracted skeletons which increase the risks of childbirth, or because they have given what nourishment they received to their unborn child and have no resistance to infection or endurance. . . .

In America, 318 out of 576 mothers suffered painful muscular soreness because they were giving out of their own bodies to their unborn children more calcium than they were getting in their diet.

So, too, in Norway, three-fourths of the mothers were calcium deficient.

In London, 50 per cent. of nursing mothers examined were anemic.

Among the infants, the League of Nations inquiry found that infant mortality was largely due to "the pernicious combination of poverty and ignorance."

Among the pre-school children appears malformations of the bones, abnormality of the pharynx due to bad feeding. The five-year-olds examined on entering London schools were found to have 67 per cent. to 88 per cent. abnormality

Damaged Goods

In an American city, 99 per cent. were found to be receiving inadequate food.

"In the early stages of school-life many of the children are already damaged goods."

And then they attack the definition of "malnutrition," behind which the authorities have sheltered so complacently, based on measurements and weight.

"Whereas such results of improper feeding as abnormal growth and weight can usually be rapidly improved by better feeding, the more chronic conditions cannot be so easily remedied. . . . Prevention rather than treatment of the disease must be more emphatically stressed."

"Even on the present basis of diagnosis there is abundant evidence of malnutrition—20 per cent. to 30 per cent. of the children in the poor quarters of Paris . . . as frequent in Yugoslavia . . . in Poland, 25 per cent. ill-nourished in certain regions, 7 per cent. of them threatened with tuberculosis, and 50 per cent. requiring additional meals. . . . In U.S., 71 million children undernourished . . . nearly all the children of the Negro population of New York were suffering from rickets. . . . 83 per cent. of the children of Connecticut . . . 43 per cent. of the children in the village of North Norway . . . 33 to 67 per cent. in the two northern counties of Sweden."

Recruits

Tuberculosis is increasing among the adolescents, and particularly among young girls.

"This state of affairs has been ascribed by some to the modern habit of slimming; by others to the greater expenditure dictated



Sometimes to be burned as furnace fuel.

proportion of men rejected has risen between 1923 and 1932 from 45.25 to 67.78 per thousand? . . . Starvation, they point out, is rampant even in rural areas. The Committee, among its main interim recommendations to the Assembly, urged that Governments should—

Consider what steps should be taken, whether at the public charge or otherwise, to meet the nutritional needs of the lower income sections of the community; Consider whether any modification of their general economic and commercial policy is desirable to ensure adequate supplies of foodstuffs, and, in particular, to assist the re-orientation of agricultural policy;

Take all possible steps to make food supplies available at prices within the reach of all classes; Take steps to improve and encourage marketing and encourage collaboration between co-operative and other forms of producers' and consumers' organisations.

Way To Peace

This is only a preamble to the full report, but it already points the way to the nations to a world economy based upon health through the proper distribution of the wealth of food and the proper organisation of agriculture; to a world peace through healthy minds in healthy bodies; to a true 20th century civilisation.



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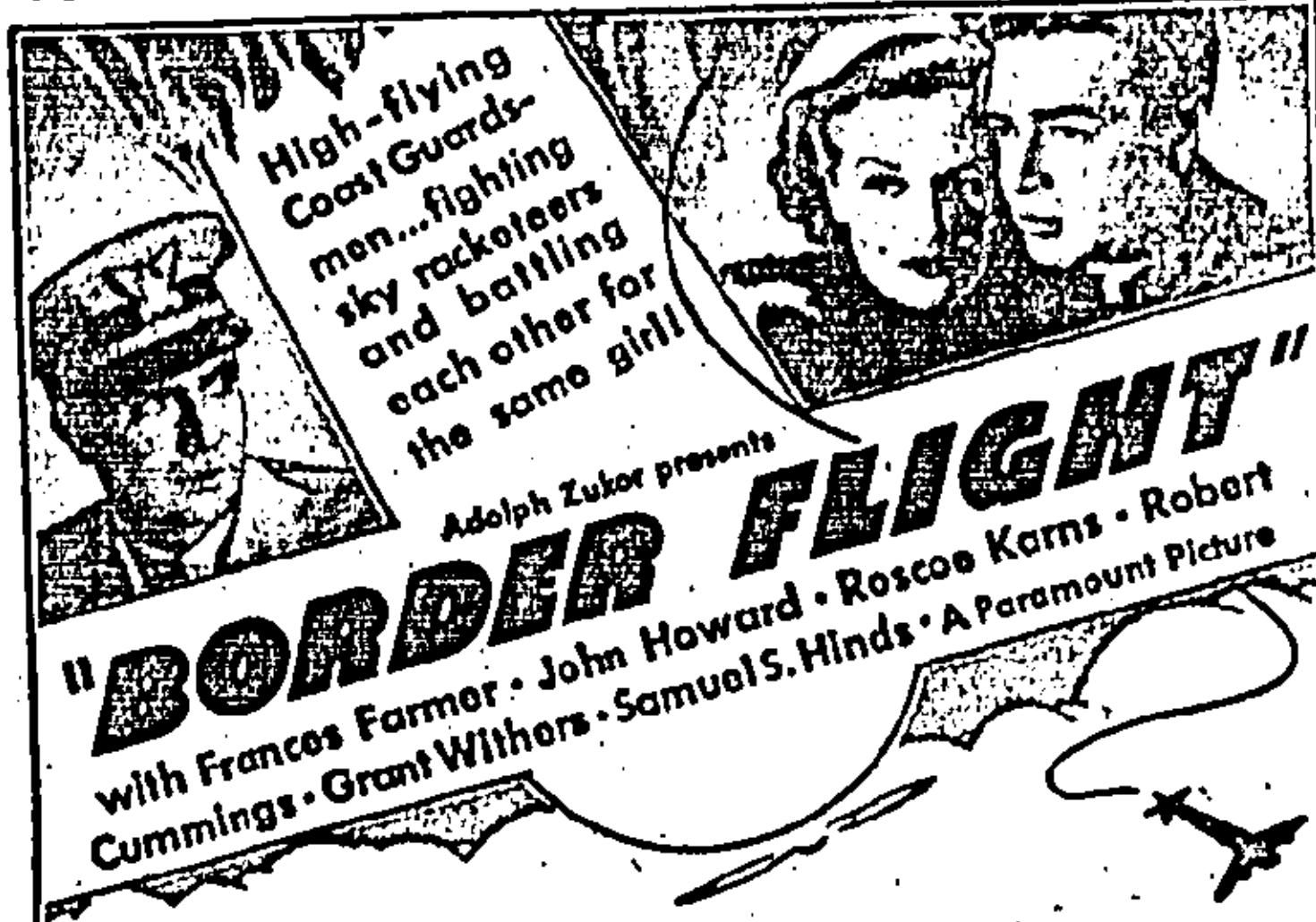
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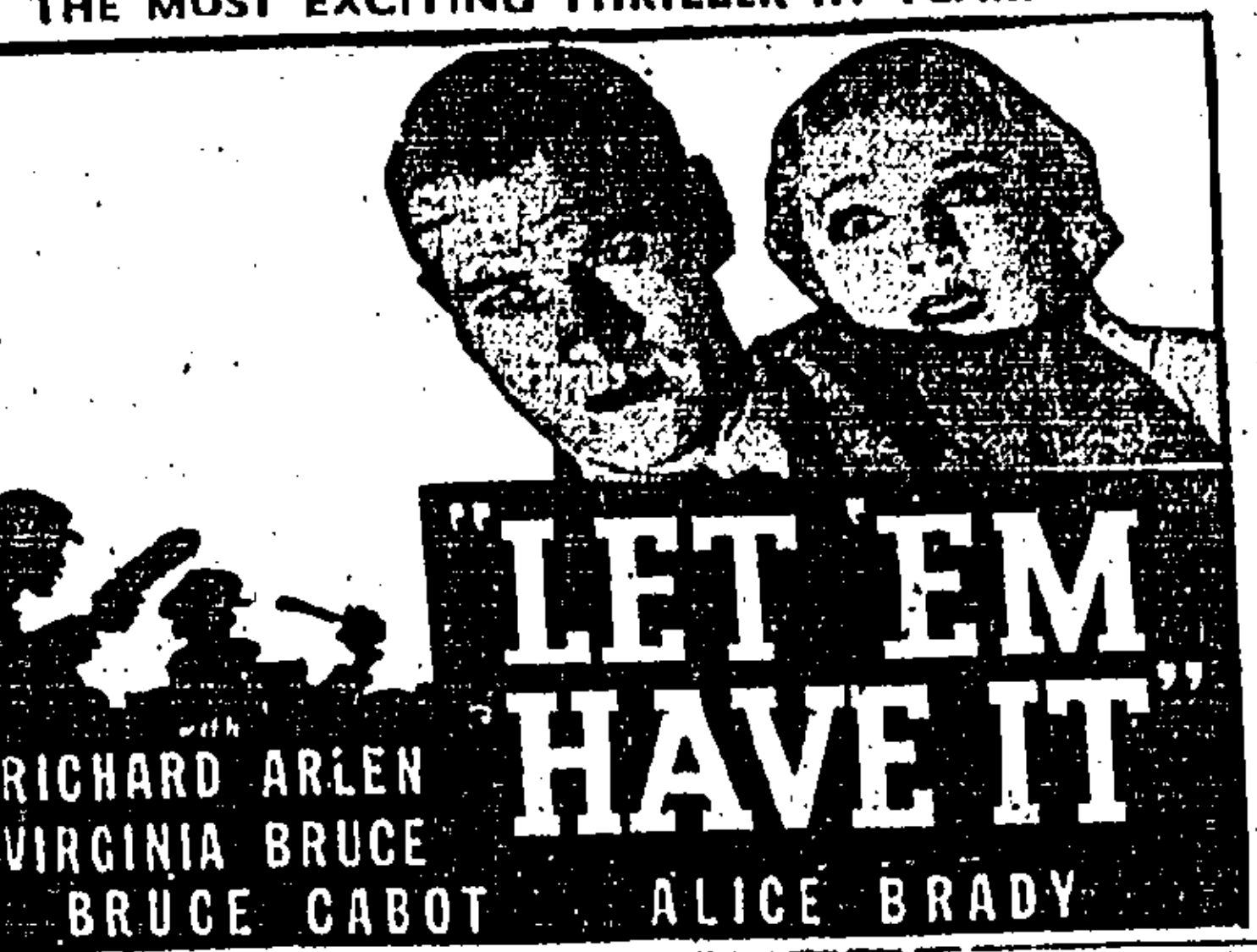
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Pastors Challenge "Deified" Hitler

Berlin, Aug. 10.

PASTOR NIEMOLLER, former U-boat commander, and other leaders of the German Confessional Church [the Protestant "Opposition"] are demanding a reply to a vigorous protest which, it is now revealed, was sent to Hitler after Whitsun.

The protest was:
Against the existence of concentration camps in Germany;
against the measures of the secret State police;
against the alleged falsification of votes at the last election; and
against what is held to be the deification of Hitler.

The Confessional Church has now notified Herr Kerrl, Hitler's Church Minister, that it will make the terms of the protest public if a reply is not received by August 1.

"He Is Haloed"

The protest memorandum accuses the Government of "dechristianising" the nation. Referring to Hitler, it says:—

"We are obliged to communicate to the Führer our anxiety at the fact that honour is accorded to him which is due only to God. At the present time his judgment is more and more made the standard not only in political decisions, but also in morality and law, and he himself is haloed with the religious authority of national priest, and even made the intermediary between God and the nation."

In another passage the memorandum says:—
"The Evangelical conscience feels itself most deeply concerned that there are still concentration camps in Germany, and that the action of the secret State police is not subject to judicial examination."

Freedom Demand

The protest concludes by asking for freedom for the nation "so that our people may walk in God and our grandfathers who built a State on earth, but closed to them the gates of God's Kingdom."
With regard to the last election the memorandum complains that "the needs of the nation were put above the demands of truth."—Reuter.

U-Boat Pastor Leads Church Fight

DR. MARTIN NIEMOLLER, leader of the thousands of German Protestant clergymen who still defy the State's attempts to "Nazify" the Church, was a Submarine commander in the war, and was decorated for bravery.

The Ministry of Ecclesiastical Affairs, of which Herr Kerrl is chief, was created by Hitler to exercise control over the Protestant Churches and weld them into a single Church, submissive to the Nazi State.

THE TRAFFIC TOLL

THREE PEOPLE KILLED AND
THIRTY-ONE INJURED

In the Colony of Hongkong including the island, Kowloon and the New Territories during the week ending at 8 a.m. on Saturday, August 15, there were altogether 59 traffic accidents, as the result of which three persons were killed and 31 persons were injured.

Of the persons killed, a Chinese male child died as the result of injuries received when he was knocked down by a motor lorry whilst running across the street. One Chinese female, aged about 50 years, who ran across the street in front of a motor lorry, was knocked down and fatally injured. A Chinese male bus passenger died as the result of injuries received while alighting from a moving motor bus.

Jay Walkers

Of the persons injured, 20 were pedestrians who were either walking

SPECIAL TYPHOON PICTURES

IN TO-MORROW'S
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A special selection of typhoon pictures, eminently suitable for sending home to relatives and friends, will appear in to-morrow's issue of the Telegraph Pictorial Supplement.

These will give a graphic idea of the damage suffered ashore and afloat, both in Hongkong and Macao. Two pages of the Supplement will be devoted to these illustrations, which will include a big and most striking picture of the s.s. Sunning ashore at Junk Bay, clearly showing the vessel broken in two, with the fore part some 200 yards distant from the rest of the ship.

Pictures of the damage suffered by bathing sheds at Repulse Bay will also appear in the Telegraph to-morrow.

or running across the road and were struck by vehicles.
One bus passenger and a tramcar passenger were injured while alighting from a moving motor bus and a moving tramcar respectively.

Two coolies were injured through falling from a moving motor lorry. Two private motor car passengers were injured when the vehicle ran off the road onto a paddy field. A motor cycle driver was injured when his vehicle capsized. A private car driver and a female passenger were injured when their vehicles collided with the embankment of the road.

A bicycle rider and one vehicle passenger were injured as the result of collision between these. Of the 59 accidents, 23 were collisions between vehicles, 20 were collisions between vehicles and pedestrians, and 10 accidents were due to other causes.

Knocked Down by Bus

While walking along Queen's Road Central, near Pedder Street on Wednesday, a man named Lam Mok was knocked down by motor-bus No. 84, and was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital for treatment.

Mystery Of Marshal Ney EXHUMATION TO BE MADE AFTER 90 YEARS

New York, Aug. 10.
ALL that now remains of Peter Stuart Ney, fencing teacher, who died in North Carolina in 1846, will be exhumed next month, in an effort to determine the truth of his story that he was Marshal Ney of France, Bonaparte general.

According to history, Marshal Ney, a cooper's son, rose to fame with Napoleon, and was condemned to a traitor's death after Waterloo, being shot in Paris on December 7, 1815.

Deathbed Statement

In January 1816 a French fencing master who said his name was Peter Stuart Ney landed at Charleston, South Carolina, and wandered from town to town teaching.

Years later he read in a newspaper of Napoleon's death at St. Helena, and fainted. Next day he was found wounded with his throat slashed.

He said, "With the death of Napoleon my last hopes have gone." Ney recovered, and by 1830 had settled in North Carolina, spending his leisure in correcting books on the lives of Napoleon and Marshal Ney.

On his deathbed sixteen years later he said: "I am Marshal Ney of France."
Scores of amateur historians swear that Peter Stuart Ney was really Michel Ney, Marshal of France; that he escaped death in Paris because the firing squad was composed of his friends, who put blank cartridges in their rifles.

Investigators will try to find a silver plate, bullet-nicked, in the ankle, discovery of which would prove Peter Stuart Ney, fencing teacher, was indeed Michel Ney, Marshal of France.

Oldest Bible Manuscript

PAPYRUS OF SECOND
CENTURY B.C.

Four fragments of a papyrus roll of the Book of Deuteronomy, in the Greek version of the Septuagint, which were written in the Second Century B.C., have been found in a collection of Greek papyri in the John Rylands Library, Manchester.

"We can say with practical certainty," states Mr. C. H. Roberts, Fellow of St. John's, Oxford, who makes the first announcement of the discovery in his book, "Two Biblical Papyri," "that the manuscript of which they formed a part was written in the Second Century B.C., and probably near the middle of the century."

"These fragments, then, are earlier by some 300 years than any other manuscript of any part of the Bible, and are, moreover, of more than sentimental interest, since they enable us to reach a definite conclusion about the type of text circulating in Egypt about 100 years after the first translation had been made in Alexandria."

Mr. Roberts describes how they came into the possession of the library.

"Enclosed in a bundle of miscellaneous papyri purchased for the library in 1917 by Dr. Rendel Harris," he states, "was an envelope containing two pieces of cartonnage—the papyrus wrapping used for the mummies, either of human beings or occasionally of the sacred crocodiles. It was not accompanied by any indication of the place of origin or the dealer from whom the papyrus was purchased."

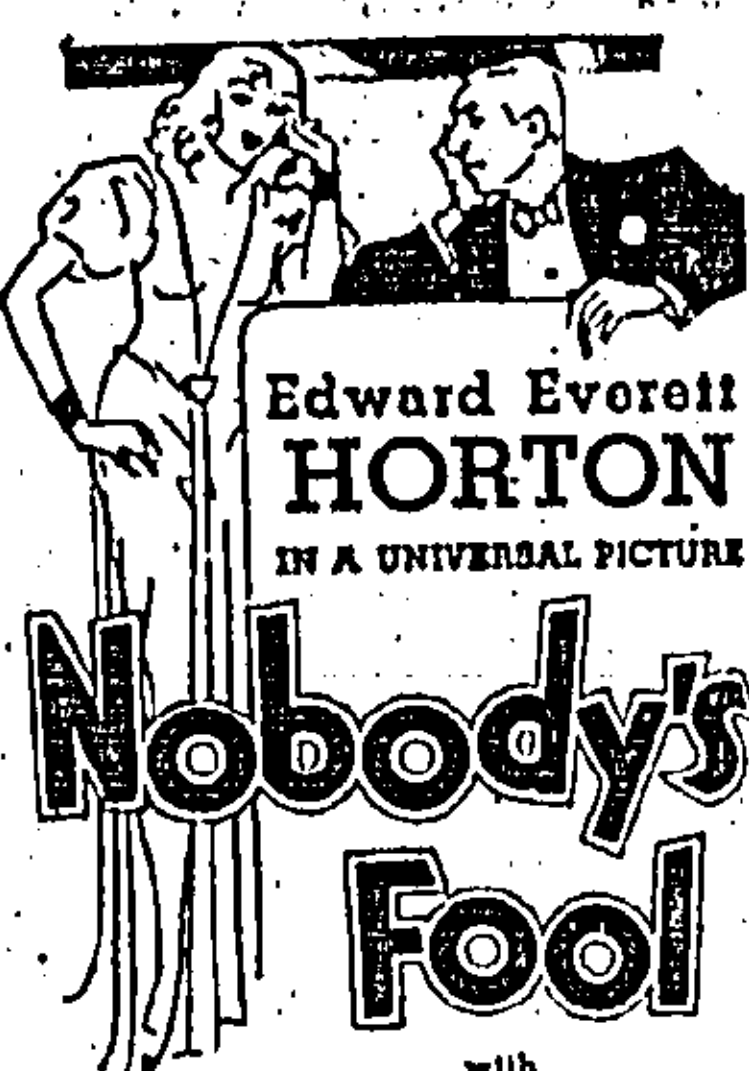
300 YEARS B.C.—
Papyrus, when used for mummy cartonnage, was cut into strips, glued together into three or four thicknesses to form a kind of paper-mache, and the outside coated with plaster and decorated with paint. It was used only as a background for plaster in the decoration of mummies during the three centuries preceding Christ.

When the various strata—no fewer than six—were separated there were found fragments of at least four separate columns of a roll containing the Book of Deuteronomy, six fragments of a roll containing the Iliad (Book One), and other writings.

"It is possible," adds Mr. Roberts, "that the cartonnage may have come from the Fayum province of Egypt, where it was known that Jewish communities and synagogues existed at that time. To one of these the Deuteronomy text probably belonged."

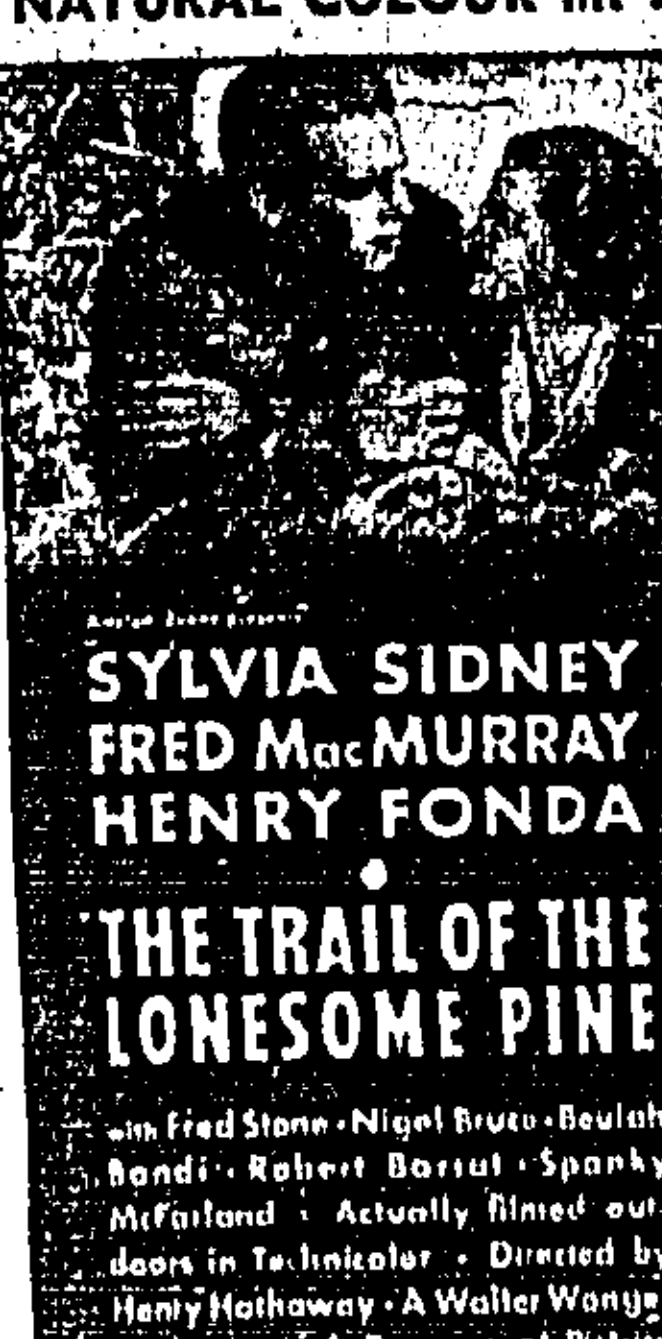
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